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**GREAT EXHIBITION, FOR FALL, 1853.** The Crystal Palace has been ransacked, and many of its treasures will be laid before the public. EDWARD L. HARDING will open, on October 1st, a choice and elegant assortment of SUPERIOR CLOTHING, all of the best make. The new and desirable style of BUSINESS COATS cannot fail to attract the tasty. The handsome style and fine quality of cloth, frock and dress Coats, most of which are made from "prize goods," will certainly please those gentlemen who desire a becoming dress article. The unusually large and beautiful assortment of *Silk Velvet Vestings*, all of which have been imported expressly for our trade, and will fill the eye with admiration. They are splendid. We have every variety of medium qualities of Coats, Pants and Vests. The stock of Gentlemen's Dress Goods is the largest we have ever before had the courage to purchase. If will pay you to call and look through this department. Of under-garments, we have every quality of silk and merino, and every size. Call and examine this splendid stock, at

E. L. HARDING'S,
Gentlemen's Clothing and Furnishing Store.
Saleigh, Sept. 12, 1853. 87—

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A. M. MCPHEETERS, H. CHISELIN. J. W. MARTIN.

**A. M. McPHEETERS, & CO.**
**Wholesale Grocers,**
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
*Office at No. 6, Roanoke Square,*
NORFOLK, VA.
REFERENCES:
THOMAS P. DEVEREUX, Esq., Halifax, N. C.
GEO. W. MORDECAI, Pres't Bank of the State of N. C.
C. DEWEY, Cashier " " "
W. H. JONES, Cashier Bank of Cape Fear.
L. O'B. BRANCH, President Raleigh and Gaston Road.
Messrs. Reid & Soutter, } *Norfolk.*
Dr. N. C. Whitehead, }
Pres't Farmer's B'k of Va. }
Alex. Bell, Esq.
Messrs. Spence & Reid, *Baltimore.*
" B. Blossom & Son, *New York.*
September 16, 1853. 87—

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**"SKY LIGHT!"** EVANS & COOKE, *No. 29, Cheap Place*, Have received their entire Fall purchase of Goods, which are now open for inspection.

We deem it unnecessary to speak of their cheapness, as it is perfectly understood py ALL that Evans & Cooke believe in quick sales and short profits, and, as usual, are ahead of all competition. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**LADIES' DRESS GOODS.** HEAVY RICH Plaid Silks.
Heavy Brocade Silks.
Heavy Plain Silks.
Black and Blue Watered Silks.
Black Gro de Rhine Silks.
French De Lanes, Plain and Figured.
Do Cashmere, do do
Plaid Raw Silks.
French and English Merinos.
95 pieces cheap DeLane. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**RIBBONS! RIBBONS!!** RICH BONNET, NECK. Tafeta and Sash Ribbons. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**MANTILLAS.**—SILK VELVET, WITH HEAVY Fringe. Plain and Watered with heavy Fringe.
The latest styles out. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 85—

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**LADIES' PLAIN AND EM'D HANDKC'FS.** Chemizetts, Pointed Collars and Undersleeves. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**DRESS TRIMMINGS.**—PLAIN AND POINTED Velvets.
Black and Colored Fringes.
Ribbons and Gimp Trimmings.
Black Silk Lace and Worsted Braids. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**GLOVES.**—LADIES KID GLOVES,
Gentlemen's do
Black and Colored, do
Lile Thread and Burlin do
EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**BONNETS! BONNETS!!**—SILK AND SATIN Bonnets, all colors.
White and Col'd. Straw Lace all colors. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**MEN'S WEAR.**—BLACK FRENCH CLOTHS. Black French Doeskin Cassimere.
Fancy do
Plain and Plaid Satinetts.
Kentucky Jeans and Tweeds.
Black Satin Vestings.
Fancy Silk do EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**HATS AND CAPS.**—75 DOZ. HATS AND CAPS, of the best make, comprising every style, quality and price. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

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**BED TICK, MARLBORO' STRIPES AND** PLAIDS. Striped and plaid Linseys, Bleached and Brown Sheeting and Domestic Heavy No. 1. Osnaburgs, (cheap.) Col'd. Cambrics, Irish Linen, White and Colored Flannels, Silk Warp do. and Black Alapacas. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**BLANKETS AND KERSEYS.**—BEST CABLE Warp Georgia Kerseys.
Heavy Plain Georgia Kerseys.
White and Colored Blankets, very heavy.
Bed do do EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**LADIES' SHOES.** ROBINSON'S FRENCH GAITers, well foxed.
Robinson's Good Boots.
Do Kid Buskins and Ties.
Do Goat do do
Do Misses' Boots. EVANS & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 68—

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**BOOTS AND SHOES.** HEAVY WATER-PROOF Boots.
Common Water-Proof Boots.
Men's Calf Shoes.
No. 1 Double Sole Brogans.
Boys' do do do.
Women's Boots.
Misses' and Children's Shoes.
Youth's and Boy's Boots.
Men's and Ladies' Over Shoes. EVAN'S & COOKE.
Sept. 12. 86—

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**J. MILES & SONS'** IMITATION STITCH CALF Boots, in store. EVANS & COOKE,
Sept, 12i 68—

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**PIANOS, MUSIC, STRINGS, &c.**—ANOTHER Lot of new and splendid Pianos, of fashionable style and elegant tone and finish, just opened at the N. C. MUSIC STORE.

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**A BEAUTIFUL 5 OCTAVE MELODEON,** with three beautiful Pedals, for inspection and sale at the MUSIC STORE.

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**ANOTHER SUPPLY OF NEW AND FASH-** IONABLE MUSIC received at the MUSIC STORE.

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**A NEW SUPPLY OF PICTURES,** WITH AND without Frames; also Gilt Mouldings of every description, for sale at the MUSIC STORE.

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**COMMISSION BUSINESS.**—THE UNDERSIGNED will conduct a Foreign and Domestic Produce Commission business in the City of Petersburg, Va., under the firm of STAINBACK & HARDEE.
Office, 3rd door West of Bollingbrook Hotel, North Side.
C. STAINBACK, W. H. HARDEE
November 1st, 1852. 104—1y.

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**Fall Trade, 1853.**

**P. F. PESCUD,** WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER in DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, PERFUMERY, CIGARS, &c., is now receiving the *largest* and *most commanding* stock, that he has ever offered to the trade, which will be sold on as reasonable terms as can be obtained at any similar establishment in the South. Physicians and Dealers are cordially invited to examine the quality and prices of my articles before buying elsewhere.

Mr. Pescud takes this occasion to thank those Physicians, Country Merchants, and Contractors who have encouraged his efforts to build up a Wholesale Drug business at Raleigh, and hopes the time is rapidly approaching when it will be a rare occurrence for Dealers to send North for supplies in his line.

☞ Send your orders, for Drugs, &c., P. F. PESCUD, Raleigh, if you want them filled promptly, neatly packed, and forwarded with dispatch, *upon terms which will give satisfaction.* P. F. PESCUD.
September 12, 1853. 86—

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**PAINTS AND OILS.**—A VERY LARGE SUPPLY of all kinds of PAINTS, OILS, and VARNISHES to hand and for sale, lower than can be bought elsewhere, on the most accommodating terms by P. F. PESCUD.
Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

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**WINDOW GLASS.**—A LARGE SUPPLY OF ALL SIZES AND QUALITIES, kept on hand or ordered, to suit any size sash at very low rates.

Also, a good supply of PUTTY. Dealers will please give me a chance to fill their orders before buying elsewhere, if they want good bargains. P. F. PESCUD.
Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

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**CALL AT PESCUD'S** DRUG STORE FOR YOUR supplies of American and Foreign PERFUMERY, TOOTH and HAIR BRUSHES, COARSE and FINE COMBS, SOAPS and SHAVING CREAMS, POMADES and HAIR OILS.

Pescud keeps a large stock and sells at a small advance to consumers and the trade.
Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

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**CIGARS AND CHEWING TOBACCO.**—THE lovers' of the WEED will be glad to hear that the subscriber has received an invoice of Superior Cigars—fine Cut and Lump Chewing Tobacco, various brands, and some Smoking Tobacco, as fragrant as they can find anywhere.
P. F. PESCUD.
Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

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**PATENT MEDICINES.**—48 DOZ. MUSTANG LINIMENT.
48 Dozen McLanes Liver Pills.
36 " " Vermifuge
24 " Ayers' Cherry Pectoral,
12 " Hooflands Bitters,
12 " Browns' Essence Ginger,
144 " Bulls' Sarsaparilla,
6 " Wistars' Balsam Wild Cherry,
7 " Stablers' Anodyne Cherry Exepectorant,
4 " Stablers' Diarrhæ Medecines,
6 " Bernards' " "
50 " Perry Dans' Pain Killer,
80 " Radway's Ready Relief,
12 " Fahnestocks' Vermifuge,
6 " Syrup Naptha,
And a large supply of Sands', Bakers', Petetins', and Woods' Sarsaparilla; Holloways' Medicines; Pain Extractor; Mrs. Betts' Female Supporters; Trusses; Bandages; Beckwiths', Brandreths', Gordans', Oriental, Peters', and Mights' Pills; American Worm Killer, Horsemans' Hope; Gray's Ointment; Roman Eye Balsam; Thompson's Eye Water, and Carpenters' Medicines, for sale by
P. F. PESCUD.
September 16, 1853. 86—

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**SPICES!—SPICES!**—MACE—WHITE MUSTARD SEED,
Cloves—Brown Mustard Seed,
Nutmegs—Celery, "
Cinnamon—Allspice,
Black Pepper—White Ginger,
Long Pepper—African Ginger,
Cayenne Pepper—Vanilla Bears and Salad Oil.
Just received and for sale by
P. F. PESCUD.
Sept. 16, 1853. 86—

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**LYON'S RAT PILLS AND SALVE.** DON'T be annoyed any longer with rats, when you can extirminate them by giving Rat Pills, or greasing their food with Coster's Salve, which you will find at PESCUD'S.

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**LYON'S MAGNETIC POWDER,** FOR THE destruction of Roaches, Bed Bugs, Flies and Ants. A supply is to hand and for sale by P. F. PESCUD.

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**SMOKING TOBACCO.** A LARGE SUPPLY OF the most fragrant and mild Smoking Tobacco, may be found at PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.

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**BAKING OR YEAST POWDERS,** OF SEVeral brands, for sale at PESCUD'S.

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**A SUPPLY OF PEARL ASH,** IN PRIME ORDer, just received and for sale by PESCUD.

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**SCOTCH SNUFF**—A VERY SUPERIOR ARTICLE, just at hand, and for sale by PESCUD.

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**CREAM OF TARTAR.**—A large supply of very superior Cream of Tartar just at hand, and for sale at PESCUD'S.

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**800** LBS. SODA, for Baking or Medicinal purposes, very superior, in Store and for sale low, at PESCUD'S.

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**WASHING SODA.**—A LARGE SUPPLY REC'D, and kept constantly for sale low at PESCUD'S.

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**ESSENCES AND EXTRACTS,** OF EVERY VAriety and quality, for flavoring and perfuming purposes. A large supply just received at PESCUD'S.

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**1500** LBS. ALUM, Ground, in Store, and for sale low at PESCUD'S.

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**OIL VITROL.**—THE SUBSCRIBER HAS REC'D 20 Carboys Oil Vitrol, and will be glad to supply paper mills and foundrys at low rates, at PESCUD'S.

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**DYE STUFFS.**—ON HAND, AND FOR SALE ON reasonable terms, a large lot of Dye-Woods, Fustic, Logwood, Canewood, Redwood, Turmeric, Indigo, Cochineal, Solution of Tin, with all the necessary mordants used in colouring. P. F. PESCUD.

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**GLUE AND GELATINE.**—A LARGE SUPPLY of White and Brown Glue and Cooper's Gelatine. Just received and for sale by P. F. PESCUD.

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**OLD PORT AND MADERIA WINE.**—INVALIDS and those who want a very superior article will find it at PESCUD'S.

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**CONGRESS AND ROCKBRIDGE ALUM** WATER, for sale at Pescud's DRUG STORE.

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**SCHEIDAM SCHNAPS & PURE FRENCH** BRANDY, on hand and for sale by
P. F. PESCUD.

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**LAMP OIL.**—A LARGE SUPPLY OF VERY SUPERIOR Lamp Oil, for sale by P. F. PESCUD.

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**ROSIN OIL.**—FOR PAINTING PURPOSES, FOR sale low by P. F. PESCUD.
Raleigh, Sept. 16, 1853. 87—

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**NO. 1, FAMILY FLOUR** FOR SALE BY
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
Raleigh, Sept. 16, 1853. 87—

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**Fall and Winter, 1853.**

**JUST RECEIVED** BY THE SUBSCRIBER:
Black and colored Silks,
French and English Merinoes, a fine assortment,
Printed and Plain Muslin DeLains,
Worked Collars and Undersleeves,
Embr'd and Plain Linen Cambric H'd'k'fs,
Muslin and Lace Edgings, a great variety,
Ladies and Gentlemens' Gloves, of all kinds,
White and Tan Colored floss skirting,
For sale by J. BROWN,
No. 9, Fayetteville Street.
Raleigh, Sept. 26, 1853. 90—

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**STAPLE GOODS.**—100 PIECES CALICOES, DARK and Light,
50-Pieces Bleached Shirting, from 10 to 22c.
12-4 Bleached Shirting, and Bleached Jeans,
50 pieces Brown Shirting and Sheetings,
Milton, N. C, Osnaburgs, and Brown Jeans,
Fine Wool and common Bed Blankets,
White and Red English and American Flannels,
Real White Welsh Flannel, don't shrink,
75 Heavy and Medium Negro Blankets,
For sale low by J. BROWN.
Sept. 26, 1853. 90—

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**GOODS FOR EVERY BODY.**—GUNNY AND Hemp Bagging,
Brown, Clarified, Crushed and Loaf Sugar,
Rio, Laguira and Old Java Coffee,
Green and Black Tea, very good,
30 Kegs Nails and Brads.
J. BROWN.
Sept. 26, 1853, 90—

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**HATS.**—SUPERIOR BLACK MOLESKIN, SEPTEMber style,
1 Case Cassimere Hats for Winter,
Mexican and other Fancy Hats,
Good Wool Hats for Farmers, &c.
J. BROWN,
No. 9, Fayetteville Street.
Raleigh, Sept. 26, 1853. 90—

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**IT AFFORDS THE SUBSCRIBER MUCH** PLEASURE to inform Physicians, Families, and the friends of his establishment that he has secured the services of Mr. J. F. BROWN, of Philadelphia, as an Assistant Pharmaceutist, who is highly recommended as being thoroughly qualified to dispense and test the purity of Medicines.

Physicians and Family Prescriptions will be executed promptly and faithfully at all hourt of the day or night by Mr. Brown, or the public's friend P. F. PESCUD.
Raleigh, Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

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**FALL FASHIONS.**—J. J. BIGGS & CO. ARE now receiving their Fall supply of Goods for gentlemen's wear, and, owing to their connection with a first class House North, with whom the Senior Partner resides, they are prepared to sell for a very small advance on first cost. By this arrangement we antic.pate a *cash* business, but will give six months credit to customers who promptly pay their bills. Their stock consists in part of
Superfine Black, Blue, Brown, Green and Dallia Cloths.
" Plain and Doeskin Cassemeres.
" Fancy French, English and American Cassemeres.
" Heavy Black, Brown, and Black Doeskin Cassemeres for pants and overcoats.
" Plain, Black, and Figured Satin Vestings.
" Figured Cut Velvet, very rich.
" Plush Velvet and Cassemere Vestings, very fine.
" Plain and Figured Buff Cassemeres, very fine.
" " " White Silk and Satin, for Weddings and Parties.

*Furnishing Goods, Hosiery, &c., &c.*

Superfine Silk and Marino Undershirts; also, Lamb's Wool and Cotton Undershirts.
" Dress Shirts in great varieties, also, Collars and Bosoms, Stocks and Cravats,
" Black and Figured Satin Scarfs.
" Black Napoleon Ties.
" Marino and Canton Flannel Drawers.
" Bleached and Brown Jeans "
" Red Flannel Shirts and Drawers.
" Kid and Buck Gloves, Cassemeres, all colors.
" Black and White Silk Gloves, and Pocket Handkerchiefs, very superior.
" White and Colored Marino and Cotton Half Hose.

*Ready-Made Clothing.*

Superfine Black and Blue Frock and Dress Coats.
" Black and Figured Cassemere Pants.
" Black and Light Silk Satin Vests.
" Rich Figured Cut Velvet Vests.
" Plain and Plush Cut Velvet Vests.
" Plain and Figured Cashmere Vests.
" Low Priced Cashmere Vests.

*Boy's Clothing.*

Black and Fancy colored Sack and Frock Coats.
" " Round Jackets.
Cadet " " for school uniforms.
Also, a few small suits, very fine.
Dressing Gowns always on hand and made to order.

*Hats and Caps.*

Superfine Black Moleskin Hats, made by Lightfoot, Philadelphia, warranted to give satisfaction.
" Oil Silk travelling Caps, very comfortable.

☞ Manufacturing, as usual, in the most fashionable style and cutting, done at short notice.
Raleigh, September 23d, 1853. 89—4t.

Live Giraffe, Register, Post, Star, Biblical Recorder, and Age copy four times.

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**MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF HAMPDEN** SYDNEY COLLEGE, RICHMOND, VA. The sixteenth annual course of lectures will commence on Monday, the 10th day of October, 1853, and continue until the 1st of the ensuing March. The commencement for conferring degrees will commence about the middle of March.

R. L. Bohannan, M. D., Prof. of Obsterics and Diseases of Women and Children.

L. W. Chamberlayne, M. D., Prof. of Materia Medica and Therapeutics.

Martin P. Scott, M. D., Lecturer on Chemistry and Pharmacy.

Charles Bell Gibson, M. D., Prof. of Surgery and Surgical Anatomy.

Carter P. Johnson, M. D., Prof. of Anatomy and Physiology.

David H. Tucker, M. D. Prof. of Theory and Practice of Medicine.

Arthur E. Peticolas, M. D., Demonstrator of Anatomy.

The study of Practical Anatomy may be prosecuted with the most ample facilities, and at very trifling expense.

Clinical lectures are regularly given at the College Infirmary and Richmond Almshouse. The Infirmary, under the same roof with the College, and subject to the entire control of the Faculty, is at all times well filled with medical and surgical cases, and furnishes peculiar facilities for instruction. Many surgical operations are performed in presence of the class; and the students, being freely admitted to the wards, enjoy, under the guidance of the professors, unusual opportunities for becoming familiar with the symptons, diagnosis and treatment of diseases.

Expenses—Matriculation fee, $5. Professor's fees, $105. Demonstrator's fee, $10. Graduation fee, $25.

The price of board, including fuel, lights, and servants attendance, is usually $3 or $3½ per week.
DAVID H. TUCKER, M. D.,
Dean of the Faculty.
Sept. 23, 1853. 90—t150c.

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**AUBURN FOR SALE!**—THE OWNER WILL offer at public Vendue at the Court House door, in the city of Raleigh, on Monday, the 17th day of October, (if not previously disposed of at private sale,) his Farm, 9 miles east of Raleigh, situated on the Newbern Road, and formerly well known as the "Busbee Place." It contains 400 acres of good free land, with a fair proportion of wood land. On the premises is a very good Dwelling House, containing eleven rooms; there are very few country houses superior to it in the county of Wake. There is a good kitchen, with several houses for negro quarters; a carriage house, Cider Press, Stables, Cotton Gin House, &c., and a Store House, at which a very respectable trade is carried on.

There is a very large apple Orchard, near the Dwelling House; also a large number of Peach trees with Pear, Plum and Cherry trees.

There is a Post Office on the premises—the mail arriving three times a week via the Wilmington and Raleigh Road, and three times from the city of Raleigh.

The location of the building is in the midst of a grove of large Oak, high and healthy. It would be a delightful residence; or would answer for a Boarding House for persons desirous of spending their summers in the country.

The North Carolina Rail Road, about to be built, has been marked off to run within a hundred yards of the Dwelling.

A further description is unnecessary, as no one will probably purchase, without examining the premises.
THOMAS LORING,
by WILLIAM R. POOLE, Agent.
Raleigh, Sept. 20, 1853. 89—ts.

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**TO THE MERCHANTS OF RALEIGH AND** VICINITY.—PARISEN & KING'S *Express.*—We are now running our Express daily, from Petersburg to Raleigh and intermediate points, in charge of our Special messengers. Tri-weekly from Norfolk and Portsmouth to Raleigh and the interior of North Carolina. Every Tuesday and Saturday, per Steamships Roanoke and Jamestown, from New York, for all parts of Virginia, North Carolina and Tennessee.

Merchants and others wishing to support a truly Southern Enterprize, and desirous of receiving their Merchandise by Mail speed and the most economical rates, will find us carrying out our representations to the letter, by ordering their correspondents to send their goods by "Parisen & King's Express."

PARISEN & KING, 2d Barclay st. N. Y.
do do Bollingbrook st. Pet.
V. D. GRONER, Norfolk Va.
H. D. TURNER, Raleigh, N. C.
J. R. & J. SLOAN, Greensboro', N. C.

☞ On the first of August we shall run our Express to and from Baltimore and Philadelphia.
July 2, 1853. 66—tf

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**CHEAPEST, SHORTEST AND MOST EX-** PEDIOUS ROUTE TO PETERSBURG AND THE NORTH. Travellers coming down the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road are informed, that they will find at Gaston a passenger train ready to carry them on to Petersburg, without any delay.

By taking this train, they will not only save 50 cents in the price of each passage and shorten the railroad travel 15 miles, compared with the route via Weldon, but they will reach Petersburg before the Petersburg or Portsmouth cars start from Weldon, as those cars have to wait there for the Wilmington cars,—and besides avoid the delay of 3½ to 4 hours at that place.

For further information and tickets, apply to the Agent of the Greensville and Roanoke Rail Road Company, at Gaston.
Office Greensville & R. R. R. Company.
Gaston, Sept, 13, 1853. 87—2m.

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**Notice to North Carolina & Virginia Merchants!**

**STEVENSON & WEDDELL,** IMPORTERS AND JOBBERS OF STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS, *Petersburg, Va.* Now offer to the trade, a large and commanding assortment of British and Continental Goods, together with a large stock of DOMESTIC FABRICS, purchased before the recent advance in prices.

Merchants are respectfully invited to call and examine our assortment, as we feel confidont we can offer as great inducements to purchasers as can be found in this or *any other market.*

N. B. ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.
Petersburg, Va., Sept. 6. 86—

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**NEW BOOKS.**—CALHOUN'S WORKS, VOL. II., containing his speeches delivered in the House of Representatives, and Senate of the United States from 1811 to 1837, edited by Richard K. Cralle, uniform with Calhoun's Disquisition on Government.

Philosophy of Sir William Hamilton, Bart., Professor of Logic and Metaphysics in Edinburg University; arranged and edited by C. W. Wight, comprising Philosophy of common sense, Philosophy of perception, and Philosophy of the conditioned.

Fifth Volume of DeAubegne's history of the Reformation.
English Humorists by Thackery.
Beatrice, by Catharine Sinclair.
Modern Flirtation, by Catharine Sinclair.
For sale by W. L. POMEROY.
October 3, 1853. 92—

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**FOR THE HAIR.**—LYON'S KATHAIRON, BARry's Tricopherous and Dollard's Herbanium Extract for removing Dandruff and restoring the Hair to health and vigor. For sale at the Drug Store of
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.
*May 27, 1853.*

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**HENRY PORTER WOULD RESPECT-** FULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE LADIES AND GENtlemen of Raleigh and the surrounding country, that he has just returned from the Northern Markets and is now receiving his **FALL STOCK,** which embraces nearly every article usually found in a Boot and Shoe Store.

The following comprises a list of Goods constantly kept on hand:
LADIES' Black, Bronze, Blue, Green and Light Colored Whole Gaiters,
" Ditto, Half "
" White Kid "
" Black Prunella Buskins,
" " Thick and Thin Soled Morocco Bootees,
" Bronze ditto, ditto.
" Black and Fancy Colored Jenny Linds,
" " Thick and Thin Soled Kid and Morocco Buskins,
" Bronze ditto, ditto,
" Black and Bronze Plain Morocco Slippers,
" Ditto, Imperial, a Fancy article,
" Embroidered Cloth Slippers,
" White Kid "

*A good assortment of Misses' Gaiters, Bootees, Slippers, and a variety of Children's and Infants' Shoes.*

GENT.'S Fine Calf Stitched and Pegged Boots,
" Calf and Kip Sewed and Pegged do.,
" P. L. Cloth and Morocco top Congress Gaiters,
" Fine Calf Stitched Bootees,
" Palo Alto Shoes,
" Goat Bootees,
" Goat and Cloth Slippprs,
BOYS' Calf and Kip Boots,
" " Shoes,
YOUTHS' " Boots,
" " Shoes.

Also, a good assortment of Plain and Fancy Trunks, Valises, Bonnet-Boxes, Carpet-Bags, Satchels, Kits, Finding Lasts, &c., always kept on hand.

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Dr. W. R. SCOTT, *Agent.*
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Revolutionary History of North Carolina, in three Lectures, by Francis L. Hawks, L. L. D., Hon. David L. Swain, L. L. D., Hon. Will. A. Graham,
Fern Leaves from Fanny's Portfolio,
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September 9, 1853. 85—

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Raleigh, August 2d, 1853. 74—

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**IRA BECKWITH** WOULD TENDER HIS SINCERE thanks to his numerous friends and customers, in Raleigh and its vicinity, for the liberal support he has received, and hopes by renewed efforts to merit a continuance of their favor. He has just returned from the North, where having in view the wants of his customers at home, he endeavored to select such articles as would give entire satisfaction, both as to price and quality. His stock consists in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, CUTLERY, and FANCY ARTICLES, comprising in part the following:

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Raleigh, March 27, 1853. 39—1y.

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## SELECTIONS.

*From the Works of* Dr. FRANKLIN, *by* Epes Sargent, Esq.

Dispute about Lightning Rods. In August, 1772, another committee of the Royal Society, of which Franklin was a member, visited, under the direction of the government, the powder magazines at Purfleet, for the purpose of considering the most effectual means for protecting them from lightning. Franklin drew up a report, which was accepted, in which the erection of pointed rods was advised. A controversy, of some notoriety in its day, grew out of the dissent of one member of the committee, a Mr. Wilson, who contended that the conductors ought to be blunt, inasmuch as, if pointed, they would attract the lightning. To this Franklin replied that the attraction was the very thing desired, for the charge is thereby silently and gradually drawn from the building, and conveyed without danger to the earth. Mr. Wilson still clung to his theory in regard to blunt conductors, and persuaded the king to change his pointed ones for blunt, at Buchingham House. One of Franklin's friends (Dr. Ingenhouse, a member of the Royal Society) wrote of Wilson's charlatanry in so heated a manner that Franklin wittily remarked: "He seems as much heated about this *one point* as the Jansenists and Molinists were about the five." The following clever epigram, upon the subject of the king's yielding to Wilson's argument in opposition to Franklin's, appeared about this time.

"While, you great George, for safety hunt,
And sharp conductors change for blunt,
The empire's out of joint:
Franklin a wiser course pursues,
And all your thunder fearless views
By keeping to the point."

Franklin at Versailles. He appeared at this royal audience very simply attired, with straight unpowdered hair, a brown cloth coat, and round hat. A crowd had collected to see him. His age, his venerable aspect, his simple dress, contrasted with the finery around him, the recollection of his services to science and humanity, all combined to waken the utmost enthusiasm of the spectators. The king received him with much cordiality, charging him to assure the United States of his friendship, and expressing his satisfaction with the conduct of their commissioner during his residence in France. On his withdrawing from this audience, the crowd in the passage ways received Franklin with renewed manifestations of welcome, and followed him for some distance.

His Interviews with Voltaire. The enthusiasm of which he had been the object at Versailles, was renewed at Paris. Voltaire had recently arrived there, after an absence of thirty years. He was in his eighty-fifth year. Franklin called upon him and was received with evident pleasure. Voltaire at first accosted him in English; but, having lost the habit of speaking it, he resumed the conversation in French, adroitly remarking, "I could not resist the temptation of speaking for a moment the language of Franklin." The Philadelphia sage then presented his grandson to the patriarch of Ferney, and asked his blessing upon him. "God and liberty!" said Voltaire, raising his hands over the young man's head; "that is the only benediction appropriate to the grandson of Franklin."

A few days after this interview, the same parties met at the Academy of Science, and were placed side by side. The sight of these distinguished old men elicited another outbreak of Parisian enthusiasm. The cry arose that they should embrace. They stood up, bowed, took each other by the hand, and spoke. But this was not enough. The clamor continued. "*Il faut s'embrasser a la francaise.*" was the cry; whereupon they kissed each other upon the cheek, and not till then did the tumult subside. The scene was classically compared, by the *litterateurs* of the day, to "Solon embracing Sophocles." Voltaire lived only a month after this second encounter with his American contemporary.

Conversational Powers. His features were an index of the good temper, amenity, cheerfulness and affability which were his characteristics. John Adams represents him as taciturn on committees and in Congress. In society he was far from being loquacious; but no one possessed a more entertaining fund of conversation or used it more happily on fitting occasions. Childhood, that "best detector of a gentle heart, was ever welcome to his knee. For the young, his manners and his words of sage advice and pleasantry had an indescribable charm. Sir Francis Romilly, when a young man, called on him at Passy (1782) with a friend. "Dr. Franklin," he writes, "was indulgent enough to converse a good deal with us, whom he observed to be young men, very desirous of improving by his conversation. Of all the celebrated persons whom, in my life, I have chanced to see, Dr. F., both from his appearance and his conversation, seemed to me the most remarkable. His venerable, patriarchal appearance, the simplicity of his manners and language, the novelty of his observations—at least the novelty of them at that time to me—impressed me with an opinion of him as one of the most extraordinary men that ever existed."

Franklin in Love in his old Age. He had an especially affectionate regard for Madame Helvetius, whom he called "Our lady of Auteuil" and who came every week to dine at least once with him and his little colony at Passy. He had lost his wife in 1779, and notwithstanding his seventy-six years, he made a proposition of marriage to Madame Helvetius shortly before the close of the war. But she had refused the hand of Turgot, and did not accept his. Franklin thereupon wrote her a letter, which is a model of wit and grace.

Closing Years of Life. Very beautiful is the spectacle of the closing years of Franklin's long and laborious life. Though not without his share of physical infirmities, he retained his lively interest in public affairs, his warm, social and domestic sympathies, his amenity and serenity of temper, his active and vigorous intellect, his abiding faith in another and better life. He seems to have realized the wish expressed in another's behalf of Wordsworth:

"Thy thoughts and feelings shall not die,
Nor leave thee, when gray heirs are nigh,
A melancholy slave;
But an old age, serene and bright,
And lovely as the Lapland night,
Shall lead thee to thy grave."

His correspondence at this time, in the vivacity, humor, justice of thought, and happy reliance on Providence which it exhibits, is a model of style and mood. *N. Y. Post.*

London Clubs. Respecting the famous London Clubs, a letter in the Boston Post, from the British metropolis, says: "Arriving in Pall-Mall, (pronounced pal-mal) every house is a palace, and every third man you knock against is either an immaculate peer, an incorruptible member of Parliament, a gaily attired-swell-mob man, or some other equally magnificent item of the idle fraternity. The stately mansions in this street do not belong to the nobility; even their enormous revenues could hardly sustain them. They are owned by the fashionable clubs, such, for instance, as the Athenæum, the army and navy, the reform, the clerical, the Oxford and Cambridge, the conservative, the European, the forensic, &c., &c. Admission can only be obtained by ballot—an entrance fee of from £250 to £500—and a yearly payment of from £60 to £150. In this way funds rapidly accumulate; insomuch that in many instances, even after an extravagant outlay on building and decoration—each club emulating the other in these particulars—a handsome bonus becomes payable to the senior members. Many of those who joined the reform in its callow days, are now exempted from the yearly subscriptions; and the salary paid to M. Soyer for many years as head cook—I beg his pardon; *chef de cuisine*, I should have said—amounted to a cool £4,000! Great be the glory of the griddle and the kitchen range!

Buckingham Palace, in the Park, is an enormous pile of buildings, erected on the plan of a hollow square, the front white marble, and all the remainder of red sandstone. Queen Victoria lately had the palace enlarged by some one hundred and fifty rooms, at the national expense. The republican mothers of America will, doubtless, feel inclined to 'snicker right out' at the pretext. The original palace contained upwards of four hundred rooms; but Lord John Russell came down to the Peers and Commons in Parliament assembled, and gravely acquainted that august body that her most gracious majesty's enlarged and enlarging family, made the masonic enlargement requisite. He appealed to their best feelings as husbands and as fathers, to look to the royal comfort; and they, in their infinite wisdom and mercy, kindly forked over (out of John Bull's pocket) £200,000, to relieve the immediate pressure of the distressed sufferers."

Original Letter from Gen. Washington. Below we copy from the Newbern (N. C.) Atlantic the original letter of Gen. Geo. Washington to the inhabitants of that town. The manuscript of the letter is in the possession of James G. Stanly, Esq., clerk of the Court of Craven county, to whom it was presented, in 1810, by Judge Francis Xavier Martin, on the eve of his departure for Louisiana, to discharge the duties of Judge of that Territory to which he had been appointed by President Madison. The Atlantic gives the circumstances connected with this letter, as follows: A Convention had been assembled in North Carolina to act on the Constitution of the United States. That Convention rejected the Constitution. After its rejection, Gen. Washington was persuaded by many, who were anxious to see North Carolina adopted into the family of States, to lend his personal influence to the attainment of that object. He did so, and came to Newbern, (then the capital of the State.) Immediately on his arrival in the town, the citizens addressed him a letter, and the one we publish is his reply. It has never been in print before that we are aware of.

Gen. Washington staid in Newbern but a short time, and stopped at the house now occupied by John Blackwell, Esq., which is, also, rendered famous as having formerly been the residence of the illustrious John Stanly, one of the most revered of Carolina's sons.

The following is the letter:

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newbern:*

Gentlemen: I express with real pleasure the grateful sentiments which your address inspires. I am much indebted, in every personal regard, to the polite attention of the inhabitants of Newbern, nor am I less gratified by their patriotic declarations on the situation of our common country. Pleasing indeed is the comparison which a retrospect of past scenes affords with our present happy condition—and equally so is the anticipation of what we may still attain, and long continue to enjoy.

A bountiful Providence has blest us with all the means of national and domestic happiness—to our own virtue and wisdom are referred their improvement and realization.

That the Town of Newbern may eminently participate in the general prosperity, and its inhabitants be individually happy is my sincere wish.

G. WASHINGTON.

Sea Bathing. Taylor, the racy correspondent of the Chicago Journal, thus hits off the salt water bathing at Coney Island.

These grand concert bathing places, are like Death. Beauty and ugliness are nothing. Every body is in marvalous disguise. It is amusing to watch the metamorphoses, as one after another they occur. An elegantly dressed lady, beautiful and young, goes tripping along towards No. nine, while a be-whiskered, be-chained, be-patent, leathered gentleman does "sesame" to No. twelve. Now numbers nine and twelve, as the uniated must be advised, are two apartments in what may properly be called Rookery Row, a series of watch box affairs, used as boudours and toilet rooms, by all pilgrims "of high and low degree," to Coney Island. Well, they turn the key, and in they go. By and by No. nine opens, and out steps a —*squaw*—and a sorry looking specimen at that, with a tattered broad-brimmed hat, pretty much "run up to seed," a striped frock and leggins, and bare footed, and away she trots over the burning sand to the water; and in she goes, not with a whoop, or, as one might infer, but with a delicate little shriek—pretty much all there's left of the lady who entered No. nine. The step has degenerated into a trot, the elegant bonnet into a "shocking bad hat;" lace, ribbons and skirts, and all the fortifications to take hearts, into a straight rag, and hang about the form like a becalmed flag round its staff. Her heir, that waved like the sea, is as tangled and dripping as the sea-weed. She runs out a little way, and squats plump down into the water, she tumbles this way and that, she goes under the water on her head, and does queer things she never dreamed of; in comes the wave, and away she rolls over and over. Her white feet twinkle through the water like shells of pearl. Up she scrambles; her dress has fallen in love with her; she pulls this way and that, but it sticks, "closer than a brother;" she looks about half timidly, but *every body's* so, and what matters it?—Down she goes again, and down they all go.

No. twelve comes open with a bang, and out comes "a fellow in the coursest kind of blue shirt, and pepper-and-salt pantaloons, torn off about three inches above the knees. There he stands, under no obligation to hatter or boot-maker; surveys the scene a moment, and makes a Bee—*that's* the orthography, and not B—a Bee Line for the water. In he goes with a bound and a plunge, and becomes amphibious in a twinkling. Where's your *gentleman*? You will find all there's left of him, in a little heap in a corner of No. Twelve, inventoried thus: one pair patent leathers, $6 00; one pair pants, $10 00; one Marseilles vest, $8 00; and "so on" to the hat. *They* were what half the world knew him by; what *more* than half the world knew him for. A funny world this is, to be sure!

Europe in less than Four Days. The London Morning Advertiser announces, that by a new and much improved construction of vessels, it will be perfectly practicable to accomplish the voyage between the United States and the United Kingdom in considerably less than four days; in fact, in about three days and a half; the ports connecting the Old and New Worlds being Halifax and Galway. This, it adds, is no speculative statement, but is founded on experiments which have already been made to test the sailing capabilities of vessels constructed on the new principle.

At the same time, one of our New York contemporaries says that a company has been organized, and the stock subscribed, for constructing a submarine telegraph between Liverpool and New York via Galway, Newfoundland and Nova Scotia, and for extending subterranean branches of it to every part of Europe. It is said that the process to be used is one newly invented by a gentleman of Massachusetts, who has discovered a mode of immensely increasing the conducting capacity of telegraphic wire, and also a way of laying down the wire, both under sea and land, much cheaper than any used hitherto. The whole length of the route from Galway to New York, as thus marked out, is about 2,800 miles. The cost per mile for the submarine wire, on the improved plan, is estimated at less than $600—the cost by the methods now in use, on the cheapest scale, would be fully $800. For the subterranean portions of the route, the estimated cost is about $200 per mile, which is less than one-third of the cost of such lines now in use.

We hope that both these projects may succeed, but are willing to wait a little while for the result.

*New York Evening Post.*

Ruin!—Ruin!! Secretary Corwin excited an incredulous smile on the countenance of some of our political Cassandras when he reported the estimated revenue proper for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1853, at $51,000,000. He *was* mistaken—the year passed, the accounts were footed, and the total amount was $61,000,000, outstriping his estimate $10,000,000. The Secretary of the Treasury reports a surplus on hand, on the 29th of August, of over $27,000,000, which is constantly augmenting.

As a key, of some sort, to the commerce of our country, we may remark that the revenue above mentioned comprises $59,000,000 of *duties*, showing an amount of dutiable imports estimated at nearly $230,000,000, an advance of $30,000,000 on the preceding year.

Our only danger—and few men will deem it an imaginary one—is that our general government's pockets will get too full. Blood-letting is the remedy for plethora—a further reduction of the tariff is the word. *Pet. Dem.*

A suit has been brought by Archbishop Hughes against the proprietors of the Episcopal Recorder, Philadelphia, the Bulletin says, on account of a communication they published, which stated that Archbishop Hughes had officiated as Bishop at Gibraltar; that he had been incarcerated in the Moorish Castle for refusing to account for some church funds; that he emerged from prison to fly to this country, &c. In reply to this it is stated that the Archbishop never exercised any ecclesiastical function at Gibraltar, never was tried or imprisoned there, and finally, never was at Gibraltar in his life.

Some wag remarks truly when he says that "the popularity in politics is to see your name in large type posted to a fence. Somebody will inquire as to who you are, and when the first rain comes you will disappear."

Eloquent Tribute to New Hampshire Scenery and New Hampshire Men. The subjoined glowing paragraphs on this subject form the conclusion of an eloquent address delivered by the Hon. Edward Everett, before the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;

"And then, Sir, for natural beauty. I have been something of a traveller in our own country—though far less than I could wish—and in Europe have seen all that is most attractive, from the highlands of Scotland to the golden horn of Constantinople, from the summits of the northern mountains of Germany to the valleys of Provence; but my eye has yet to rest on a lovelier scene than that which last summer greeted my eyes as I sailed up from Wier's Landing to Centre Harbor. And I have yet to behold a sublimer spectacle than that which is disclosed from Mount Washington, when, on some clear, cool summer's morning at sunrise, the cloud-curtain is drawn up from Nature's grand prosenium, and all that scene of wildness and beauty starts upon the eye, the bare granitic tops of the surrounding heights—the precipitous gorges a thousand fathoms deep, which foot of man or ray of light never entered—the sombre matted forest—the moss-clad rocky wall, weeping with crystal springs—the winding streams, gleaming lakes, and peaceful villages below—and in the dim misty distance, beyond the lower hills, faint glimpses of the sacred bosom of the eternal deep, ever heaving as with the consciousness of its own immensity—all mingled in one indescribable panorama by the hand of the Divine Artist.

And can I speak of her historical legends—of her industrial resources—of her natural beauties—of New Hampshire, parent not of fruits only, but of men—without remembering the great and good who adorn her annals—her immortal Stark, who cheered the heart of the nation at the lowest ebb of despondency, and led the way at Bennington to the triumphs of Saratoga—your Sullivan, your Door, your Scammel, your Dearborn, your McCleary, your Pierce—who, from Bunker Hill to Yorktown, heard every peal of the trumpet, and breasted every storm of war; the long line of your civilians—your Bartletts, your Whipples, your Thurstons, your Langdons, your Gilmans, your Smiths, your Masons, your Woodburys; your men of letters and divines—your Wheelocks, your Belknaps, your Buckminsters, your Abbotts? How, especially, can I forget him whose decease not yet a twelvemonth ago filled the whole land with sorrow, while, in the sublime language of your fellow-citizen, the President of the United States, "the great heart of the nation beat heavily at the portals of his tomb." He was the offspring of your soil, he and his father. His infancy was cradled in the hardships of your frontier settlements; he was taught and trained in your schools and your college. You sent him forth in the panoply of his youthful strength to the service of his country; and after the labors and conflicts of life, you rose up as one man to welcome him, when but two years ago on this anniversary he came back, melting with tenderness and veneration, to revisit his native State."

Immortality. If we wholly perish with the body, what an imposture is this whole system of laws, manners and usages on which human society is founded! If we wholly perish with the body, these maxims of charity, patience, justice, honor, gratitude and friendship, which sages have taught and good men have practiced, what are they but empty words, possessing no real, binding efficacy? Why should we heed them, if in this life only we have hope? Speak not of duty. What can we owe to the dead, to the living, to ourselves, if all are, or will be, nothing? Who shall dictate our duty, if not our own pleasures, if not our own passions? Speak not of morality. It is a mere chimera, a bugbear of human invention, if retribution terminate with the grave.

If we must wholly perish, what to us are the sweet ties of kindred?—what the tender names of parent, child, sister, brother, husband, wife or friend? The characters of a drama are not more illusive. We have no ancestors, no descendants—since succession cannot be predicted of nothingness. Would we honor the illustrous dead? How absurd to honor that which has no existence? Would we take thought for posterity? How frivolous to concern ourselves for those whose end, like our own, must soon be annihilated? Have we made a promise? How can it bind nothing to nothing? Perjury is but a jest. The last injunctions of the dying—what sanctity have they, more than the last sound of a chord that is snapped or an instrument that is broken?

To sum up all: If we must wholly perish, then is obedience to the laws but an insensate servitude; rulers and magistrates are but the phantoms which popular imbecility has raised up; justice is but an unwarrantable infringement upon the liberty of men—an imposition, a usurpation; the law of marriage is a vain scruple; modesty a prejudice; honor and probity, such stuff as dreams are made of; and incests, murderers, parricides, the most heartless cruelties, and the blackest crimes, are but the legitimate sports of man's irresponsible nature; while the harsh epithets attached to them are merely such as the policy of legislators has invented and imposed on the credulity of the people.

Here is the issue to which the vaunted philosophy of unbelievers must inevitably lead! Here is that social felicity, that sway of reason, that emancipation of error, of which they eternally prate, as the fruit of their doctrines! Accept their maxims, and the whole world falls back into the most frightful chaos; and all the relations of life are confounded; and all ideas of vice and virtue are reversed; and the most inviolable laws of society vanish; and all moral discipline perishes; and the government of States and nations has no longer any cement to uphold it; and all the harmony of the body politic becomes discord; and the human race is no more than an assemblage of reckless barbarians, shameless, remorseless, brutal, denaturalized, with no other check than passion, no other bond than irreligion, no other God than self! Such would be the world which impiety would make. Such would be this world, were a belief in God and immortality to die out of the human heart. *Massillon.*

An Ancient Paper Mill. The old paper mill, says the West Chester Register, in which the paper was manufactured used by Benjamin Franklin in the printing office, is still in operation on Chester Creek, Delaware county, and owned by Mr. Wilcox, the son of the gentleman who held it during the lifetime of Franklin. The paper was at that time and is still manufactured by hand. Scarcely any change has been made in the mill, and the same process of making rags into paper is in operation to-day as was followed some hundred and fifty years ago; the mill having been erected in the year 1713. Ivy Mills, alluded to above, has long been exclusively devoted to the manufacture of bank note and map paper, of course by hand. The paper for the notes of the old United States Bank, of which much was said at the time, was made at this establishment. The paper was made of the best Russian linen, and Bandana handkerchiefs were shreded and mixed with the pulp to produce a red streak, then for the first time adopted in bank note paper.

Tobacco Planters' Convention. A convention of tobacco planters is proposed to be held at Louisville on the 16th of November next—its objects being to promote the interests of the planters of tobacco, by the interchange of views and opinions as to the best mode of cultivating descriptions of plant to yield the greatest amount of profit, the quantities which should be aimed at to be raised to pay best for its production, and for such other purposes as may suggest themselves to the convention as being conducive to the welfare of this class of citizens—among which is, that said convention may unitedly petition Congress to pass such laws as will be calculated to lower the duties charged by foreign governments on tobacco imported into their respective limits.

Amount Expended on Amusements in New York. It is said that the receipts at the Italian Opera in New York average about $2,500 per night; the Broadway Theatre, $3,000; the National, $3,000; the Bowery, $2,000; Wallack's, $2,200; Burton's, $2,000; the Hippodrome, $3,000; Barnum's Museum, $1,500; Julien, $1,500. Add $2,000 more for the various other places of public amusement, and there is a nightly expenditure of $22,900.

We regret to announce, says the Columbus Times of Wednesday, that Hon. W. T. Colquitt had the misfortune to have his leg broken just below the knee joint, on the 3d inst. in attempting to mount an unruly horse. Only one bone was broken, and though he is in great pain at present, we hope no serious injury will result.

Protestant Episcopal Convention. On Friday, Rev. Dr. Mason, chairman of the committee appointed at the last general convention to report on a standard Bible, handed in the results of their labor, to the effect that, in the medium sized quarto Bible, published at Oxford, they recognized a standard Bible, till such time as an American edition be published. 2d. That they have entered into a contract with the New York Common Prayer Book and Bible Society for the reprinting of that edition. 3d. That a committee of five be appointed to correct errors of the press, and to report at the next general convention. Made the order of the day for next Tuesday.

Rev. Dr. Mason of North Carolina, said that at the convention of the diocese of North Carolina, held May 27th, 1853, a resolution was adopted, appointing a committee of three clergymen and two laymen to draw up a statement of the difficulties between that diocese and Dr. Ives, its late bishop, to be laid before the Triennial General Convention. He accordingly presented such a statement, which was referred to the committee on the Consecration of Bishops.

On Saturday, Herman Cape was re-elected Treasurer of the Convention.

A communication was received from the House of Bishops, informing the House that they had passed the canon entitled "The abandonment of the communion of this church by any bishop, priest, or deacon," etc., and also the resolution admitting Iowa.

A resolution providing for sending a bishop to California, was, after a warm and protracted debate, adopted; and the convention adjourned until Monday.

The Board held a meeting on Friday evening, when the venerable Bishop Meade introduced the Right Rev. Bishop Spencer, Archdeacon Sinclair, and the other English delegates, each of whom made handsome addresses.

Episcopal General Convention—*Seventh Day.* Judge Chambers, of Md., presented a memorial from the Rev. Mr. Prescott, a presbyter, of Massachusetts, complaining that he had been suspended by his Bishop, on the ground that he had entertained opinions contrary to his ordination vows. After considerable discussion it was voted not to receive the memorial.

The House then took up the canon entitled "A canon on the Abandonment of the Communion of the Church by any Bishop, Priest, or Deacon," which declares that if any Bishop, Presbyter, or Deacon shall abandon the communion of the Church, either by renunciation of doctrines, discipline, &c., or by a formal admission into any religious body not in communion with the same, such Bishop, Presbyter or Deacon shall be held, *ipso facto*, as deposed to all intents and purposes; three months' notice, provided the abandonment is not evidenced in writing, signed by the party.

Hon. Murray Hoffman, on Tuesday, made a long speech in opposition to the proposed canon, and read resolutions which he said he should offer, in case the canon was rejected, declaring that a majority of the House of Bishops, or a Council of Bishops assembled for the purpose, had authority to pronounce and adjudge that a Bishop of this Church has, by reason of any neglect or refusal, vacated and forfeited his jurisdiction in any diocese, as well as his right to exercise any of the offices and functions of a Bishop of this Church within the United States.

The Rev. Dr. Mason, of North Carolina, on Wednesday, replied to Mr. Hoffman as to the course of the diocese of North Carolina in relation to the defection of its former Bishop, and to the election of another.

North Carolina, he said, does not consider Bishop Ive's letter to the diocese an act of resignation, but an act of abandonment and apostacy—a higher act—a going out from the office, as much as if he had died—a case in which there can be no doubt—all the facts of the defection, of the abandonment, have been perfectly proved, and North Carolina was justified most fully in the course she has taken. The reverend speaker made an earnest and feeling appeal to the convention to confirm that action, and thus bring peace to the diocese.

The Rev. Mr. Craik, of Kentucky, said that he must vote against the resolutions of Mr. Hoffman, whatever he might do on the resolution reported by the committee on canons. If the election of Dr. Atkinson as Bishop of North Carolina be not good and valid, it can never be made so by the act of the third party. Mr. Craik did not believe with the committee that a Bishop does, by apostatising, *ipso facto* depose himself.

Judge Williams, of Va., defended the position taken in the canon before the House that the abandonment of a Bishop of his diocese *ipso facto* vacates that diocese; and he contended that the convention had a right to pass such a canon.

It is familiar law that the acceptance of an office inconsistent with the one previously held vacates the other, *ipso facto*. Abdication has always been held as vacation. James II, of England, wished to resign the throne, but he was told "No, you have abdicated!" Napoleon wished to resign the crown of France in favor of his son; but he was told "No you have abdicated!"

This the late Bishop of North Carolina had done. He had gone to Rome, and kissed the Pope's toe, and was even now glorifying in his apostacy; and yet it is gravely told that this man is still a Protestant Episcopal Bishop. The speaker then proceeded to analyze and to argue against the resolutions of Mr. Hoffman, intended as a substitution for the proposed canon.

Mr. Evans, of Maryland, agreed with the gentleman who had just preceded him in relation to excess of legislation, and therefore he preferred the resolutions of the gentleman from New York. He then proceeded to discuss the points of the question, and the result of his views was that the Diocese of North Carolina had no right to declare their Diocese vacant.

The discussion was continued up to the hour of adjournment.

At a regular communication of Fulton Lodge, No. 99, held at the Masonic Hall in the Town of Salisbury, on Friday Evening Oct. 7th A. D. 1853, A. L. 5853, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted.

When the hand of God is felt in the removal from earth of loved ones, and friends, thereby producing a void in our hearts that must forever remain unfilled, it becomes us as rational and immortal beings to pause in the midst of our worldly vocations and contemplate with serious earnestness the solemn truth, that we are all fast hastening to the cold and silent grave, where our mortal frames must mingle with their mother dust. And though it is very painful to hear of the death of friends, even when they are surrounded by their kindred and brothers of the mystic tie, it is still more painful to learn that a brother has been smitten down by the destroyer in the midst of strangers, afar from those to whom he is bound by the ties of Masonry.

In the death of Brother Eli P. Miller, who died in Asheboro' on the 3d inst., we feel that the Fraternity has lost one of its brightest ornaments, this lodge one of its most exemplary members, that society has sustained an irreparable loss, and a void has been caused in the hearts and homes of his kindred that will be productive of tears and sorrows.

Therefore be it Resolved,

That Fulton Lodge No. 99, has heard with profound regret of the death of Brother Eli P. Miller, and that our regret is heightened from the fact that he died afar from his relatives and Masonic friends.

*Resolved*, That we deeply sympathise with the relatives of Brother Miller, in this great crushing bereavement, by which they have been so suddenly deprived of an affectionate brother and son—cut down while the most brilliant prospects of happiness were conspiring to make life desirable and thoughts of death repulsive.

*Resolved*, That in testimony of high regard for our departed Brother we will wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days, and consecrate a page of our Record Book to his memory.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary be instructed to furnish the relatives of the deceased with a copy of these Resolutions, and copies to the Salisbury and Raleigh papers with a request to publish.

JOHN W. ELLIS, W. M.

John R. Ramsay, Sec.

Show me an indolent man, and I will show you an unprincipled one.

Show me an industrious man, and I will show you one possessing some virtue, if not in all cases all that could be wished.

And yet industry is, to a great extent, a thing of habit. *Bizarre.*

For the Standard.

## THE TERMINUS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.

*Sir:* In an article in a late number of the Asheville Spectator, on the subject of the surveys for the Eastern and Western extensions of the Central Road, allusion is made to the conflicting interests which have grown up on different points in Beaufort harbor "consequent upon the speculative spirit induced by the prospective growth and commercial importance of Beaufort;" and the opinion is expressed that "the Engineer will be greatly *annoyed* in determining the point of location" of the terminus of the road. The reading of the article referred to has suggested the propriety of submitting a few remarks on the subject through the columns of your paper.

As it is now generally conceded that the Central Railroad will, at some period not very remote at farthest, be extended to Beaufort harbor, the question as to what point on the harbor shall be selected as the terminus is becoming one of absorbing interest to a large number of citizens of the East, although to those of the West who are not acquainted with the different localities on the harbor, and have not purchased land here, it has not yet assumed an aspect of much importance. The citizens of the town of Beaufort, more than any others, begin to look at this question as one in which their interests are essentially involved. And it has been with concern, therefore, that they have seen in many who have turned their attention to this harbor, indications of a willingness to disregard the interests of Beaufort entirely, or trample them in the dust, to gratify a speculation. To this end public attention has been diverted from this side of the harbor where Beaufort is located, remote points of the harbor have been seized upon, land companies formed and captivating advertisements spread before the public, offering city lots for sale; and the more effectually to allure the capitalist, hotels, wharves, saw-mills and distilleries, are paraded before him, which in all probability will never have any more real existence at the points indicated, than the fairy scenes of the Arabian tales.

At an early period in this Railroad excitement a disposition to forestall the deliberate decisions of the public judgment in relation to the terminus of the road was manifested. Even before the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad bill made its appearance in the House of Commons last winter, a private company with the distinguished President of the North Carolina Rail Road Company at their head, clutched, and appropriated to themselves, five or six hundred acres of land at Shepard's Point, on this harbor, with the intention doubtless to have the terminus of the Railroad fixed at that point, if possible, by Legislative act. This sudden movement started the citizens of Beaufort, who had thought, ever since the days when Fulton first sounded these waters, that there were other points in the harbor worthy of some consideration, that Beaufort and Gallant Point on the East, as well as Shepard's Point and White Hall on the West, had advantages which should not be entirely overlooked when this great work should be located.

The citizens of Beaufort have ever supposed that the site for the terminus of this Road would, at the proper time be determined by a survey, and they have ever been willing to abide by the result of that survey, if independently and impartially made, but they protest in advance against the influence of monopolies in controlling it. If the Engineer designated for the work shall be beyond the reach of this influence, the Editor of the Spectator may be assured he will not be "*annoyed*" by any other.

We shall advert to this subject again in a future number. CARLTON.

Beaufort, Oct. 12, 1853.

For the Standard.

Rocky Mount, Oct. 8, 1853.

We believe that no event has occurred in our time better calculaten to elevate North Carolina in the estimation of her neighbors than the estaablishment of her State Agricultural Society, and the purpose of holding an annual State Fair at her capital. It is an earnest that her best minds will cooperate in trying to give order and dignity to our industrial pursuits, and to present a fair field on which they may win both honor and profit.

Many sections of North Carolina know less of each other than they do of other States, and still less of their own markets and productions. We have recently heard of one instance among many of the kind. Edgecombe has lately imported many cotten gins from Georgia, and beautiful machines they are too, when we learn that a Southern county in our own State (Anson, we believe) has a gin factory whose machines are equal to any in the Union. Thus our own institutions are not cherished, simply because we do not know of their existence, and often because we value foreign wares too highly. Now if a State Fair can but *half-way remedy this one evil*, by bringing North Carolinians together and making known our wants and resources, it will accomplish an immense good and entitle its originators to the name of public benefactors. Among these, our county-man, Dr. John F. Tompkins, has been and is a prominent actor, and it is no disparagement to others to say that the part he has borne in these movements merits the thinks and applause of every North Carolinian. About two years ago he entered on a task which no one else seemed willing to venture on—that of publishing an Agricultural journal and galvanizing new life into the agriculture of the whole State. This, at the time, seemed a visionary project, but with an enthusiasm worthy of the cause he went forth on his errand—locturing on the application of science to agriculture and the laws which should regulate its practice. He thus infused a new spirit among the farmers, and improvements naturally followed his steps. Many County Societies are the results of his zeal and energy. The State Society was the next, and then the project for a State Fair. These conceptions were quickly followed by action, showing that he is a working man, and if he has visions, he intends to have them realized.

When we reflect that our citizens have spent thousands of dollars at other State Fairs, it is to be hoped that State pride will induce them to patronize liberally their own. For agricultural papers too, we spend annually hundreds of dollars abroad, while the only one we have has but a feeble support among us. Must this one die out as its predecessors have done, while we are craming our mites into the full coffers of Editors abroad? In these enterprizes Dr. Tompkins merits success if he cannot win it, for we are convinced that nothing short of the rare energy and enthusiasm such as his could have waked up the generous impulses of our citizens to have accomplished so much in so short a time. With their aid he has put our State many years ahead. Such enthusiasm is just what we need. Our good old State requires just such spirits to keep her in action and to give her the quick-step of progress.

MACON.

The Cotton Worm. Extract of a letter from a gentleman, now in Louisiana, to his father in Baltimore:

Grand Coteau, Sept. 20.

On Sunday afternoon I rode out from Grand Coteau, about six miles to the Prarie, to the residence of Mr. Ben. Simmes, (whence I am now writing,) and on my arrival I noticed a very peculiar and disagreeable odor about the plantation. Mr. S. told me it was occasioned by the catterpillars, of which he had noticed a few in his field that day. The next morning (yesterday) at daybreak we witnessed a scene of destruction and swift desolation that cannot be conccived of except by an eye witness. There are hundreds of acres, yesterday so smiling and promising with the luxuriant cotton plant covered with its green foliage, bright blossoms and bursting bolls of staple, to-day are reduced to fields of bare blackening cotton stalks, and not a single solitary leaf to be found on the whole plantation. All this was the result of one night's work of the army worm. The destruction of the crop is almost total, for but very little has been gathered; and the few remaining bolls being now quite unprotected from the sun, must perish before they can mature. This cotton being raised on new ground is supposed to be more tender than that grown on old plantations, and of course a preferable food for the worms; a few days however will decide whether the older places will escape or not. I used to think the cotton worm stories were pure inventions, or at least greatly exaggerated, gotten up to effect the markets, but I now know that the ravages of these insects can hardly be adequately described, much less exaggerated.

"Sister, are you happy?"

"Yes, Deacon, I feel as though I was in Beelzebub's bosom."

"Not Beelzebub's!"

"Well, some of the patriarchs—I don't care which."


**5580 ACRES OF LANDS AT AUCTION.** The undersigned having failed to sell their Lands and Mills upon the terms previously advertised, now propose to sell on THURSDAY, the 27th of October next, at the Red Banks to the highest bidder, the seperate tracts or parcels, viz:

Two thousand acres lying on the East side of Lumber River and on the North and West side of the Fayetteville and Harllecsville road, including the Mills, Dwelling and Out Houses, and *three hundred and fifty* acres of cleared land.

Twelve hundred and fifty acres on the same side of the River and on the East side of the Fayetteville and Harllecsville road, including the Red Banks, proper, and *one hundred and fifty* acres of cleared land.

Four hundred acres on the same side of the River, known as the Lowrie Land, which will be sold in lots of one hundred acres each.

Seven hundred and thirty acres on the West side of the River, including *thirty-five* acres of cleared land.

All of the above lands are generally heavily timbered and lying on and near the river—are very valuable for Turpentine, Tar, Timber, &c. Turpentine can always be sold at a fair price in Lumberton, or if desired may be transported down the river to Fair Bluff, a Depot on the Wilmington and Manchester Rail Road, which is thirty-five miles distant, and from thence to Wilmington which is about sixty miles.

The Mills are in excellent condition and running upon the best and most improved plans. The home demand for lumber is always great, with the additional advantage of transporting it by the river to Georgetown, S. C., and the intermediate landings.

The Grist Mill and Cotton Gin have each a profitable custom.

There is also upon the premises a Store-house, at which a large quantity of goods may be sold annually.

For further information address the subscribers at Gilopolis, or examine the premises. Possession given the first of December. Terms, one-half cash upon delivery of possession—the balance upon time with interest.

W. McNEILL, Sr.,
JOHN McNEILL.

Red Banks, Robeson, Oct. 7, 1853. 95—ts.

If not previously disposed of I will sell at the same time and place upon the same terms, *twelve hundred acres heavily timbered land* on the East side of Lumber River, twelve miles above Lumberton, and thirty above Fair Bluff.

JOHN McNEILL.

October 7th, 1853. 95—ts.

**AGRICULTURAL WORKS!**—THE BOOK OF the Farmer, detailing the labors of the Farmer, Steward, Plowman, Hedger, Cattle-man, Shepherd, Field-workers, and Dairy Maid, by Henry Stephens, with four hundred and fifty illustrations, to which are added explanatory notes, remarks, &c., by John S. Skinner.

The American Farm Book, or compend of American Agriculture, by R. L. Allen.

Southern Agriculture, by Adam Beatty.

The Farmers and Planters Encyclopaedia of rural affairs; embracing all the most recent discoveries in Agricultural Chemistry, adapted to the comprehension of unscientific readers; illustrated by numerous engravings of animals, implements and other subjects interesting to the agriculturist, by C. W. Johnson. Adapted to the United States by Governeur Emerson.

European Agriculture and rural economy, by Henry Calman.

Sheep Husbandry, with an account of the different breeds, and general directions in regard to Summer and Winter managment, breeding and the treatment of diseases, with portraits and engravings, by Henry S. Randall.

Rural Essays, by A. J. Downing.

Fruit and Fruit Trees of America, by A. J. Downing, fourteenth edition.

The American Fruit Culturist, by J. J. Thomas.

The American Fruit Book, by S. W. Cole.

Agricultural Chemistry, by Jas. F. W. Johnson.

A Dictionary of Modern Gardening, by G. W. Johnson, edited by David Landreth.

Dixon and Kerr's ornamental and domestic Poultry. Illustrated.

The Poultry Book, by John C. Bennett.

The American Poultry Yard, by D. J. Browne.

The Cottage and Farm Bee-keeper, by a Country Curate.

Horsemanship, founded on new principles, including the breaking and training of horses, by F. Baucher.

Elements of Scientific Agriculture, by Jno. P. Norton.

A Muck Manuel for Farmers, by Sam'l L. Dana.

A Practical Treatise on the cultivation of the Grape-vine on open walls, by Clement Hoare.

# The Standard.

RALEIGH, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 19, 1853.


## THE STATE FAIR.

Our City is pretty well thronged with persons from all quarters in attendance on the State Fair. The spectacle presented at the Fair Grounds is one to gladden the heart of every North Carolinian. At the time of writing this, Monday evening—as we go to press Tuesday morning—the machinery, agricultural implements, cattle, blooded stock, household manufactures and the like are pouring in in a continuous stream; and the Fair Grounds are pervaded in every direction with lively notes of preparation for the opening on Tuesday the 17th.

We have just returned from a visit to the grounds, where we found every indication promising an exhibition much superior, in every respect, to what we had anticipated—and our readers will bear witness that we have been sufficiently sanguine on the subject.

Floral Hall has been most appropriately and handsomely decorated by the ladies, and is devoted to paintings, drawings, needlework, minerals, and various articles of manufacture for ornament or domestic use. We saw a fine collection of paintings from the Edgeworth school, Greensborough, and by Miss Partridge, of this place; also, some superior drawings by Mr. Herbaugh, architect, Fayetteville. The collection of quilts, counterpanes, &c., is large, and some of the patterns are very handsome. There are two collections of North Carolina Minerals—one by Mr. Greenfield, and the other by Jno. P. Mabry, both of Davidson. Also, spun cotton from Alamance Factory, from Arrarat, (Gen. Trolinger,) from Rockfish Factory, from Deep River, Randolph, and from Montgomery Co. We saw some beautiful straw hats, made by Mrs. Morning, of Smithfield. Also, some elegantly embroidered aprons and caps, by Miss Deming, Fayetteville—a handsome child's hat or bonnet, by Miss Wiggins, of Granville—a lamp mat by Mrs. Deming, Fayetteville, and various other articles from fair hands which we have not space now to mention.

Seth Jones, of Ponoma, Wake, has on exhibition eleven of his Durham and Devon cattle; and Alpheus Jones, of Wake, a pair of working oxen. D. McDaniel of Nash, exhibits six Devon cattle—Thos. Jones, of Martin, six head of Durham—W. Russell, of Caswell, nine head of blooded cattle, and Dr. W. R. Holt, of Davidson, twenty-two head of the Devon breed. Barney Johnson, of this county, also shows a very large blooded cow, and William Battle, of Nash, a Devon bull. Gen. M. T. Hawkins, of Warren, shows a number of fine horses, and some Jennets, Jacks, &c.; and Benj. Marriott of this county, a filly three years old, which looks remarkably well. There are horses and mules also on exhibition by Maj. Howerton, of Orange, T. S. D. McDowell, of Bladen, and others, of which a more particular description will be given hereafter. The swine and poultry departments are also well represented.

Alpheus Jones, of this County, also exhibits the model of a packing machine, of his own invention, which attracts considerable attention.

The Messrs. Jones of Caswell, and Mr. Long, of the same County, are also here with some of their best tobacco; and in addition to this we saw honey, beets, flour, wheat, corn, pickles, apples, pomegranates, turnips, and indeed a little of every thing to please the palate or delight the eye.

There are large quantities of machinery and agricultural implements from Baltimore, Norfolk, Petersburg, Richmond, and other points; and carriages and buggies from Warren and Franklin, which appear to be fully equal to any made in the Northern States. W. C. Crabtree, of Warrenton, exhibits a buggy made of curled hickory; Messrs. Bobbitt and Minatree, of the same place, a buggy and a large carriage; and Mr. Clawson, of Franklinton, a two-horse Prince Albert phæton. These articles are all finished in the best style, and reflect the highest credit on those who constructed them.

But it is not possible for us to go to-day into any thing like a particular description of the manufactured articles or the cattle and live stock on exhibition. We fear that we have already done injustice to some by omitting to allude to articles, but this omission is altogether unintentional and unavoidable. We shall endeavor in future numbers to give a full and more particular account of this *great industrial exhibition*, which is destined, we trust, to mark the commencement of a new era in the history of North Carolina.

The following regulations have been adopted by the Executive Committee:

ARTICLE 1. The members of the State Agricultural Society will meet at the Commons Hall in the Capitol on Monday evening at 7 o'clock, at which time such business as may come before the Society will be transacted, and during the holding of the Fair the Society will meet each evening at the same time and place for discussion of Agricultural subjects.

ART. II. Members of the State Society are requested to meet at the Fair grounds on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, for the judging of specimens, and awarding of premiums, and at 12 o'clock of the same day, the gates will be opened to visiters, when a general exhibition will take place.

ART. III. The Fair grounds will be opened to visiters on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, and at 12 o'clock M., the Annual Address will be delivered.

ART. IV. On Thursday morning the Fair will be open to visiters at 9 o'clock, and at 12 o'clock, M. the powers of various specimens of machinery, and agricultural implements, and the speed of harness and saddle horses will be tested on the track.

ART V. On Friday morning, at 9 o'clock, the Fair will be open to visiters, and at 12 o'clock M. the sale of stock and implements will take place at public auction, and the judges will report.

ART. VI. The Fair will be closed each evening at 5 o'clock, when all visiters will be expected to retire.

ART. VII. All disorderly conduct will be strictly prohibited on the grounds by the Marshals and Police, and any one violating this regulation will be excluded at once.

ART. VIII. All carriages containing Ladies will be allowed to enter and leave them at FLORAL HALL and return.

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The New York Herald has lately contained several articles bitterly assailing the administration and demanding the formation of a new Cabinet! These articles are said to have been written by Wm. H. Seward. They are evidently intended for his benefit.

*New Hampshire Patriot.*

The Administration is evidently too pure for Bennett. A few thousand dollars, which he will not get, would effect a material change in his tone and manners. The character of his sheet is well known. The Administration does not pay twenty-five cents per line for puffs and complimentary articles.

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☞ The reader will find in another column a well written communication on the subject of the terminus of the proposed Beaufort Railroad. The writer is a gentleman who takes a deep interest in Beaufort and in the success of internal improvements generally. We welcome him to our columns, and hope to hear from him frequently.

WILMINGTON AND GASTON ROADS. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wilmington and Raleigh Railroad will be held at Wilmington on the 10th of next month; and that of the stockholders of the Raleigh and Gaston Road at Raleigh on the 10th of next month.

FARMER'S JOURNAL. Farmers, mechanics and others in attendance on the State Fair, will no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity offered to subscribe for the Farmer's Journal, edited by Dr. Tompkins. It is in every respect worthy of patronage.

## VISIT TO PORTSMOUTH AND NORFOLK.

We made a hurried visit last week, in company with a cherished friend, to these two Cities of "Old Virginia," and our only regret was that we could not remain longer with the hospitable people with whom we had the pleasure of mingling.

We found the Raleigh and Gaston and the Seaboard and Roanoke Roads in excellent condition, and well managed. They can make as good time as any Roads in the country, and they run quite as smoothly and afford as much comfort to the traveller as any.

We stopped with Mr. Gresham, in Portsmouth, and at the National, Norfolk, kept by Mr. Reynolds. These houses appear to be under excellent management and are handsomely patronized.

We were conducted through the Navy Yard by Mr. Chas. A. Grice, Master Blacksmith, to whom we are under obligations for many attentions; and we also visited the great ship Pennsylvania and the Navy Hospital below Norfolk. The latter is now under the control of that accomplished physician and amiable gentleman, Dr. Williamson; and the "big ship" at present commanded by Capt. Saunders. We also had the pleasure of meeting Lieutenants Murphy and Wood, natives of this State, and Lieut. Maury, also, we believe, a native of this State, who conducted us with much courtesy through the ship. The Pennsylvania is lying off Gosport Navy Yard, Portsmouth, as a receiving ship. She can mount 140 guns and it requires from twelve to fifteen hundred marines to man her. We also saw the steamer Saranac, now undergoing repairs at the Navy Yard. She is nearly ready for service. Also, the old ship Constellation, now on the stocks. She is to be repaired out and out, and to some extent remodeled. We saw, here and there, a stick of the old timber, and we were presented with a piece of oak from her hull for a cane. Being a landsman, this visit to the Navy Yard was of course quite agreeable and interesting.

Elizabeth River, which divides the two Cities, is about three-fourths of a mile in width. Two small steamers ply constantly between the two for the purpose of carrying passengers. The Seaboard Road terminates at the wharf at Portsmouth, and we learn that arrangements are being made to transfer to Norfolk, in boats, the cars with freight for that place.

Portsmouth and Norfolk have many advantages as commercial places, and we have no doubt the citizens will in due time fully avail themselves of these advantages.

We did not have the pleasure of meeting any of the Editors but Badger and Hyde, of the Globe, the former of whom expects to be in attendance this week at the State Fair.

## DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES.

The Democrats have recently carried the States of Georgia, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and California—the three latter by immense majorities, and the former by from five hundred to one thousand for Governor. As the New Hampshire Patriot well adds, "thus it is, from Maine to Texas and from the Atlantic to the golden shores of the Pacific, the voice of the people in every contest has proclaimed in the most emphatic terms their cordial approval of the administration and their firm attachment to the great principles which it is carrying out. Let malcontents and factionists bear this in mind, and take comfort from it if they can."

Malcontents and disappointed office seekers have nothing to encourage or console them in the late verdicts of the people. The national heart is with FRANK PIERCE, and it will continue with him with a firmness of purpose which no clamors nor efforts of the disappointed or the factious can seriously affect. When *the people* speak it is the duty of those who have been complaining to be silent.

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☞ The author of the late communication in the Raleigh Star, signed "Justice," which was an unjust, bitter and unprovoked attack on John C. McRae & Co., contractors on the North Carolina Railroad, has been at last smoked out, and is Mr. David F. Caldwell, of Guilford. He publishes, in the last Greensborough Patriot, an article over his own signature on the subject. Well, no damage has been done, after all. A stab in the dark by some men is sometimes more dangerous than an open assault. If Mr. C., when he writes for the papers, will only remember to put his name to what he publishes, the world will jog along as usual and no one will feel much concern about the consequences.

Twisted out at last! Verily, the affair remindeth us of the days of our boyhood, when we used first to smoke the rabbit and then twist him down the inside of the tree with a hickory stick, amid sundry squalls and the flying of much fur.

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☞ The Whig and Advocate, printed at Salisbury, is by far the most abusive sheet in North Carolina. Its manner of assailing the Banner, of the same place, is positively disgusting. Wilson, of the latter journal, throws in hot shot now and then—meets such arguments as are advanced in the Whig, retorts in no very bitter strain, and gives evidence generally of a disposition to avoid personalities, which the Whig will not permit him do; and so the war rages, to the decided disadvantage, as we think, of the Whig. The truth is, we more than suspect that, fearing Wilson's influence with his pen, a determination was formed among certain Whigs in that region to put him down or drive him out, and the Whig was selected to carry out this determination. But this movement will end in smoke. The Banner is constantly increasing in circulation, as we trust it will continue to do. Wilson is one of the best writers in the profession, and is a gentleman and an honest man. Nothing which the Whig can say can affect his character in the estimation of just and intelligent men.

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REV. JNO. E. EDWARDS. A Correspondent of the Petersburg Express, writing from Lynchburg, says: "In the Methodist (E.) Church of this city, over which the Rev. John E. Edwards discharges the duties of pastor, quite an extensive revival of religion is progressing. The house is densely crowded every night, to hear the words of eloquence, as they roll from the lips of the gifted and beloved pastor. I think he is the most rapid declaimer I ever listened to. A large number have professed to find "the pearl of great price," and the interest continues unabated. May it continue to increase until not one shall be found in this city, enlisted under the banner of the wicked one."

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☞ Dr. Weller is here with some of his best qualities of scuppernong wine, some of which we have *sampled*. Not having the fear of either the immoderate use of the article or of Mr. Gorman before our eyes, we pronounce it excellent. The Doctor has also, we learn, presented some of his grapes to the ladies in attendance on the Fair.

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We are gratified to see that Maj. E. G. Eastman, one of the Editors of the Nashville Union, is elected principal Clerk of the Senate of Tennessee. Maj. Eastman is a New Hampshire Democrat, and an able Editor.

## THE STATE FAIR.

We present below, from various journals, notices of articles for the State Fair now being held in this City. Persons in attendance will examine the articles referred to and judge for themselves.

FOR THE FAIR! We happened in at Mr. J. J. Conoley's store yesterday, and had our attention directed to a set of buggy or sulky harness, manufactured at this gentleman's establishment, and designed for exhibition at the State Fair.

We do not assume to be a judge of the merits of work of this description, but we can tell when an article is well made, and we venture to say that it would be difficult to find harness superior to this in manufacture, finish or appearance. We believe this harness to be as well made, handsome and complete as any on exhibition at the Crystal Palace; and we are glad that Mr. Conoley designs carrying with him to our State Fair, this specimen of his work. It reflects credit upon his establishment and the town. It must take a premium, we think.

While talking about the Fair, it may not be out of place to mention, that one of our planters informed us that he designed sending up for exhibition, a specimen of his present crop of Rice.

There may be other contributions from our town, and doubtless there will be.

We look upon this first State Fair, unsatisfactory though its exhibition may be, as the forerunner of better things—the dawn of a new era—in the development of the Agricultural and mechanical wealth of our State. Would that every industrial interest could be represented there! To sustain the future exhibitions of this character, to add to their interest and value, should be the duty and the pride of all North Carolinians who desire the advancement of the State in the paths of true progress

*Wilmington Herald.*

N. C. FAIR. Mr. Blamire from this place will visit the Raleigh Fair with a variety of his curiosities in the way of fancy articles, India Rubber goods, &c.

We hear of a number of other persons engaged in different pursuits here and in Norfolk who intend going up. *Portsmouth Globe.*

THE STATE FAIR. The first Agricultural State Fair ever held in North Carolina is to come off at Raleigh on Tuesday next, and promises, we are glad to see, much benefit to the State at large. We hope that at this Fair every county will be represented, and a laudable zeal inspired thereat that shall tell upon the good of our State for all coming time.

One of the most useful instruments at the Fair, and one perhaps that will attract as much attention as any other, will be carried from this county by Mr. James Simmons. It is the celebrated "Cotton Plow," which has been used in this section during the past spring and summer, much to the admiration of all who tried it. That it will suit to plow young corn and tobacco as well if not better than any plow now in use, we haven't a doubt. The wood-work of the one that will be exhibited in Raleigh was manufactured by Col. R. H. Walker. The castings were done at the foundry of Wible & Cook, in Greensville county, Va. *Weldon Patriot.*

ANOTHER ARTICLE FOR THE FAIR. Mr. L. F. Whitaker showed us the other day an article designed by him for the Fair (fair) at Raleigh next week. It is a cradle which rocks by machinery, and at the same time discourses delightful music. It also carries a fly-brush with a constant and regular motion. Mr. W. says he can afford them for about $15 each, music and all. This is cheap when we take into consideration that the machine will save the attendance of a servant during the infantile slumbers.

Mr. H. Harbaugh, Architect, intends sending some very fine Drawings for exhibition at the Fair. Also, Mr. David Gee, hat-manufacturer, will exhibit silk hats of his make.

We saw on Thursday, at the establishment of Messrs. Pier & Branin, a very elegant buggy which is to be exhibited at the Agricultural Fair at Raleigh. It was not originally designed for this purpose, having been ordered by a gentleman who lives in this vicinity. The beauty of the work has induced him to place it at the disposal of the makers for exhibition. We are very glad to see a disposition manifested among some of our artizans to let the world know of their excellence. *Fayetteville Carolinian.*

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☞ "The Popular Educator," published by Alexander Montgomery, 17 Spruce street, New York, is decidedly the most instructive publication of the day. Our young men who have not had the advantages of education in their youth could not do better than to subscribe for this work. It is published in numbers at 25 cents each.

The same publisher has sent us the "Illustrated Magazine of Art," the best pictorial of the day.

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CONFERENCES AND SYNOD. The annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Virginia will convene at Lynchburg on the 26th of this month, and the North Carolina Conference of the same Church will be held in Raleigh on the 9th of next month. The Synod of the Presbyterian Church of North Carolina will meet in Wilmington on the 9th of next month.

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A MONSTER SHIP. The "Great Republic," launched at Boston, a few days since, is said to be one of the most beautiful crafts, as well as the largest, that ever took captive the heart of a sailor. She is 325 feet long, 53 feet wide, her depth 37 feet, and her capacity 4,000 tons—the largest merchant ship, probably, which was ever launched.

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NO MORE AID TO THE SANDWICH ISLANDS. The American Board of Foreign Missions, recently in session at Cincinnati, adjourned to meet at Hertford next July. During the session it was resolved that no more aid could be extended to the Sandwich Islands, for the reason that their inhabitants have been Christianized.

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VISITORS AT NIAGARA. During the present season, 47,000 persons have crossed the bridge leading to Goat Island, and paid their tribute of 25 cents each. The number is about 20,000 larger than last year. A portion of this large revenue might profitably be laid out in furnishing accommodations for wayfares on Goat Island—a few more seats would be a blessing.

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THE "BIG MULE." There is a mule on exhibition here, which is about nineteen hands high. It is certainly the largest animal of the kind in America. It is well worth seeing. It was raised, we learn, in the State of Georgia.

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☞ A Convention of the total abstinence and prohibitory law men of North Carolina commenced its deliberations in the Court-House in this City on Monday last. William Albright, Esq., of Chatham, presided.

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☞ We learn, from the University Magazine, that the Hon. Aaron V. Brown, of Tennessee, will deliver the annual Address at the next Commencement before the two Literary Societies. It is now nearly forty years since Gov. Brown graduated.

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DEATH OF TRISTRAM BURGESS. The Hon. Tristram Burgess, for many years U. S. Senator from Rhode Island, and a man of great ability as an orator, died in Providence, R. I. last Friday morning, in the 84th year of his age.

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Dr. Ives, formerly Bishop of North Carolina, is reported to have finished his controversial work, containing his reasons for going over to the Roman Catholic faith.

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☞ "Old Joe Sweeny," the justly celebrated banjo-player, is in town, and will favor assemblages during the week with some of his best touches. Go and hear him.

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☞ The Bank of Cape Fear has declared a semi-annual dividend of four per cent.

## LATER FROM EUROPE.

HALIFAX, Oct. 13. The steamer Canada has arrived with later dates from Liverpool. According to her quotations Cotton in Liverpool had declined ¼d. to ⅛d. The sales of the week amounted to 84,000 bales. Flour had advanced 1s. to 2s. Wheat had advanced one-eighth pence. Corn had advanced to forty-two shillings.

Sales of Baltimore flour at thirty-five to nearly 36s. White wheat ten shillings. Consols had declined to 93¼ to 93⅜. American stocks were lower.

A great storm occurred on the English and Dutch coasts, on the 25th and 26th September. Rotterdam was inundated; and many vessels were lost; also the crew of a steamer at Amsterdam, In Zudezee one hundred persons perished.

Gen. Persuell had been appointed Captain General of Cuba.

The War party at Constantinople had insisted that war be demanded by the Porte. The Sultan had refused to sign a declaration of war.

The allied fleets had passed the Dardanelles to protect the Sultan and the Christian residents of Constantinople. The Sultan regarded this as unnecessary and as derogatory to his dignity.

It is said that the French Government had received a pacific overture from the Emperors at Olmutz, and that France was ready to join Austria.

The Koszta affair would be discussed at Olmutz.

Some new arrangements in the Vienna note had been demanded by England, and had caused Austria to state that she would assent to no further modifications. Russia and Austria are now perfectly united. It is rumored that Russia demands the cession of a Turkish province as payment for the expense incurred by occupation of the Principalities.

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## FOUR DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE.

*Turkey has declared War with Russia—Hostilities Reported to have Commenced—Markets, &c.*

NEW YORK, Oct. 16. The Atlantic arrived to-day with a large number of passengers. She brings Liverpool dates to the 5th instant, and four days later news than that received by the Canada.

Vienna dates to the 3d inst., had been received at Liverpool. It is stated that on the 3rd. the Sultan, on the recommendation of the Divan, had signed a declaration of war against Russia. Report says hostilities have already commenced.

It was supposed that the Russians had attacked the Turkish positions at Pontschonk.

It was reported that Austria had again sided with England and France, and some new proposition was made to Turkey.

When a dispatch from Constantinople of the 26th announced that the Divan had recommended the Sultan to declare war, the four powers opposed the act.

Fleets remained, it is said, at Besika Bay.

Kosta was expected to embark for the United States on the 21st, by consent of Austria.

The cholera was slowly increasing in England.

Liverpool, France and Naples, had extended the term allowing a free importation of breadstuffs.

France has prohibited the exportation of potatoes and vegetable materials of all kinds.

Among the Atlantics passengers are Lieut. Maury, and J. R. Ingersoll, Esq., our late Minister to England.

MARKETS. *Liverpool, Oct.* 5. Cotton remains unchanged. Sales of the three days previous amount to eighteen thousand bales.

Breadstuffs which had previously declined, had again recovered, and closed at rates of previous week.

Rice was in good demand.

Consols had declined to 90⅝.

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TREASURER COURTS AND NORTH CAROLINA STATE BONDS. Yesterday morning Hon. D. W. Courts, Treasurer of the State of North Carolina, passed through here on his way home from the North, whither he had been successfully negotiating loans for his State.

The terms upon which the loans were effected speak well for the solvency and credit of North Carolina, and are highly creditable to the financial and financiering skill of the able North Carolina negotiator.

Mr. Courts has won for himself a reputation all over the Union, and especially upon Wall street, for the ability and sagacity he has displayed in his business transactions since he went into his present office.

The duties of the office of Treasurer, since Mr. Courts took charge, have been augmented considerably; they are heavier and much more complicated; calling for much more industry and far more financial astuteness and administrative tact. In their discharge, Mr. Courts has demonstrated his complete fitness for his place in every particular.

*Portsmouth Globe.*

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SINGULAR STATEMENT FOR A RELIGIOUS PAPER. The New York Independant, a Congregational paper, of which Henry Ward Beecher is a stated contributer, holds the following remarkable language on scepticism and reform:

Among all the earnest-minded young men who are at this moment leading in thought and action in America, we venture to say that four-fifths are sceptical even of the great historical facts of Christianity.

What is told as Christian doctrine by the churches is not even considered by them. And furthermore, there is among them a general ill-concealed distrust of the clerical body as a class, and utter disgust with the very aspect of modern Christianity and of the church worship. This scepticism is not flippant; little is said about it. It is not a peculiarity alone of the radicals and fanatics; many of them are men of calm and even balance of mind, and belong to no class of ultraists. It is not worldly and selfish. The doubters lead in the bravest and most self-denying enterprises of the day.

The south, in the glorious race of improvement, is at last showing its mettle. In Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Corolina, Georgia and Tennessee especially, a great change has taken place within the last four years, and is still going on. We see in these States railroads progressing, agriculture improving, mines opened, manufactures established, and their resources developed in a thousand ways. It gladdens the heart of a southern man to find that his own section of country can now compare favorably with the other portions of the Union, and that its strength and power are about to be renewed. This is the result which the *practical* states rights man loves to contemplate. *Alexandria Gazette.*

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A LUCKY ESCAPE. The Simeon Draper of whose "suspension" the papers bring us intelligence, is the individual to whom Secretary Corwin made a loan of several hundred thousand dollars, of public money, against the plainest provisions of law. He is a Whig of the Seward stripe, and was particularly zealous for Scott in the Baltimore Convention. In the event of Scott's election, he would in all probability have been permitted to hold on to the loan, and have "suspended" with a million of public money in his pocket. Mr. Guthrie compelled him to account, and thus saved the country a snug sum. Draper's subsequent failure, proves that he was speculating on his loan from the Treasury.

*Richmond Enquirer.*

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Rev. J. O'Donnell, a Catholic priest at Portland, an active temperance man, and formerly a strong supporter of the Maine Law, is out in a letter upon that question, in which he states that drunkenness, misery and crime, among his people, have increased rather than diminished, by means of this statue. There is more sold and used among the Irish population now than before.

It is a singular fact that in this city, where there are fifteen hundred Catholics, and no temperance agitation has been had among them, none of them have gone into liquor selling. We do not know of an Irishman in town who sells rum.

*Newburyport Union.*

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A PRIZE FIGHT. Two blackguarns, the one called Yankee Sullivan and the other Morissey, being under bonds to keep the peace in this city, went to Boston Four-Corners yesterday, to fight. They fought some thirty-seven rounds, in about fifty-five minutes, and were both dreadfully beaten, but not enough. Had they put each other out of the way altogether, society might have gained by the result. It is said that some two thousand other low fellows were present to witness the disgusting encounter.

*N. Y. Evening Post.*

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At New Orleans, on the 7th the weather was cool and delightful. But the papers to not urge strangers to come there yet.

*Baltimore Municipal Election.*

An election was held in Baltimore, on Wednesday, for members of the First Branch of the City Council. Of the twenty wards, eleven have been carried by the Democrats and nine by the Whigs, thus giving the former a majority of two. Last year the Democrats carried fourteen wards and the whigs but six. There was a majority of 9,423 for introducing pure water into the city.

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*Pennsylvania Election.*

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12. Hon. Charles Gilpin, whig, has been re-elected Mayor of the city by 8,106 majority. Three consolidationists, Wm. C. Patterson, democrat, Geo. H. Hart, whig, M. W. Baldwin and Wm. R. Morris, whig, not on the consolidation ticket, are elected to the Assemby. Eli K. Prince, consolidationist, is elected to the Senate by nearly 1,000 majority. Col. Murphy, the democratic candidate for Marshal, 700 ahead; with Kensington and three wards of Spring Garden to hear from. The vote will be close.

[SECOND DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12. The democrats of the city have elected Smith, county commissioner; Miller, county surveyor, Gibson, prothonotary and probably Murphy Marshal. The whigs have elected Reed, attorney, and Coleman treasurer. The assembly ticket in the county is yet in doubt.

In Lanchester county the whole whig county ticket is elected. The Prohibitory Liquor Law question has 4,000 majority in the county, and 200 in the city.

HARRISBURG, Oct. 11. The whig county ticket is elected, but the Legislative ticket is in doubt. The vote on the Legislative ticket in this county, as far as received, is as follows: Barrett, (D.) 832; Soliday, (D.) 776; Bishop, (Prohib.) 862; Ross, (Prohib.) 896; Hummel, (Whig) 582; Bergtresser, (W.) 591.

CHAMBERSBURG, Oct. 11. The returns from Franklin county are incomplete. The indications are that the Whig State ticket will have about 250 majority. The Democratic Asssmbly ticket is probably elected.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 11. The senate and assembly ticket in Alleghany county are in doubt. Roberts (dem.) for district attorney, and Hampton (whig) for judge are probably elected. The whig majority on the State ticket is very small. The vote is light. McClintock, (dem.) for the State Senate, is probably elected.

The democrats have no doubt carried the State by a large majority, electing their judge, canal commissioner, &c.

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*Resignation of Gov. Seymour.*

HARTFORD, Conn., Oct. 13. Governor Seymour, Minister to Russia, resigned his office as Governor of the State of Connecticut to-day, in order to prepare for his mission. Charles H. Pond, Lieut. Governor, was sworn in at 12 o'clock as chief executive in his place.

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*Inauguration of Gov. Broome.*

CHARLESTON, Oct. 12. James C. Broome was inaugurated as Governor of Florida on the 3d inst. His inaugural takes ground for the removal of the Seminole Indians, considering them a blight to the prosperity of the State, in violation of treaty obligations and in open defiance of the power, authority and importunity of the Federal Government. He will consider it as part of his constitutional duty to see the law of the last session providing for their final removal faithfully executed. He advocates the common schools and railroad improvements, and promises a hearty support to the administration of President Pierce.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 14. In Ohio the Democratic ticket is elected by 30,000.

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*Another Failure.*

NEW YORK, Oct. 12. It is now publicly announced that Robert Spear, a well known Stock Broker of Wall street, has failed under the recent depreciations of stocks and the tightness of the money market. There are various other rumors afloat regarding the solvency of certain parties, but they have not yet come to a focus.

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*Morissey, the Prize-Fighter Dead.*

NEW YORK, Oct. 14. James Morissey, who fought with Yankee Sullivan, on Wednesday, for $2,000, near Boston Four Corners on the line of the N. Y. and Harlem Road died this afternoon from the effects of the injuries received in the brutal encounter.

The fight lasted 55 minutes, during which 37 rounds were fought, and Morissey was declared the victor.

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JACKSON, N. C. Oct. 11th, 1853.

*Editor of the Raleigh Standard:*

DEAR SIR: In the last number of your paper I find the following paragraph: "William L. Garrett, who recently escaped from the jail of Northampton, N. C. while under sentence of death for the murder of Thomas Cumbie, was captured near Gaston, on Monday."

The foregoing statement is incorrect, Garret is yet at large; and I have reason to believe that the above statement of his arrest was put in circulation by some friends of his with a view of misleading the public and enabling him more certainly to escape.

Yours very respectfully,
NATHAN ROSE, *Jailor.*

Register and Spirit of the Age will please copy.

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POLITENESS UNEQUALLED. Mr. Barrett, who, for many years has been conductor on the Lowell railroad, stands at the head of the list of polite and accommodating men—at least in the estimation of the ladies. Yesterday afternoon says an exchange, as the inward express train passed through West Medford, a young, pretty—and, we presume affectionate—lady observed a female friend upon the platform in front of the station, and requested the Conductor to stop the train that she might kiss her. Mr. Barrett complied instantly. The train was stopped, the lady left the car, kissed her friend lovingly, resumed her seat and the train passed on.

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SNOW TWO FEET DEEP. A telegraphic dispatch from Boston, dated Oct. 13, states that Mount Washington is now covered with snow to the depth of two feet, and in some places is drifted to the height of 8 feet. In the town around the mountain snow has been falling for several days. The thermometer at the mountain last week stood at zero.

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## THE MARKETS.

NORFOLK, *Oct.* 15.

REPORTED FOR THE "NORTH-CAROLINA STANDARD" BY A. M. M'PHEETERS & CO.,

*Wholesale Grocers, Forwarding & Commission Merchants,* No. 6 ROANOKE SQUARE.

GRAIN.—The market for Corn is very unsettled. We quote sales of white at 76c.; mixed 75 @ 75½c.; yellow 78 @ 80c.

B. E. PEAS arriving more freely, sales to-day $1 8.

STAVES of all kinds in active demand and meet with ready sale at our last quotations.

FLOUR.—Superfine $7 25, Extra $7 50, Family $8.

BACON.—Smithfield hog round 10c.; Hams 11 @ 11½c.; Western Sides 8¾c.; Western Shoulders 7¾ @ 8c.

COFFEE.—Laguira and Rio 12 @ 12½c.; Java 13¼c.

SUGARS.—Cuba 5½ @ 5¾c.; P. R. 6¾ @ 7¼c.; Crushed 9¾c.; Loaf in Boxes 10c.; Pulverised 10c.

CANDLES.—Mould 14c.; Adamantine 25 @ 26c.; Sperm 37 @ 40c.

DRIED FRUIT.—No change to note. Apples nominal, @ $1 20 ₱ bushel of 28 lb. Peaches 3@3¼.

LIME.—Thomaston $1⅛; Washington City $1 25.

GUANO.—None in market, cargo expected daily.

FAYETTEVILLE, October 15.

BACON.—The supply is abundant, and some sales made at under 9 cents.

COTTON.—The market has a downward tendency. Sales on Thursday at 9½ to 10.

CORN.—Supply equal to the demand.

FLOUR.—The improvement noticed last week still continues, and sales are making from first hands at $6 and upward for super.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—But little offering—sales at 56 to 58 cts. per gallon.

RAW TURPENTINE $3 25 to $ 3 50 per bbl.

*Carolinian.*

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## MARRIED,

In Liberty, Forsyth co., on the 6th inst., by H. A. Holder, Esq., Mr. Elias J. Butner, to Miss Susanah Stultz, all of Forsyth.

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STOVES! STOVES!! STOVES!!!

200 COOKING, PARLOR, AND OFFICE STOVES, of the latest styles and most approved patterns, just received from the Foundaries, and will be sold as low at retail as they can be purchased at the North.

Also, a good supply of TIN and JAPAN WARE, Patent PUMPS, &c. &c. constantly on hand. All kinds of TIN, COPPER and SHEET-IRON work done at short notice.

WILLIAM J. LOUGEE.

*Next door above the Post Office.*

Raleigh, October 19, 1853. 98—3t.

E. L. HARDING, FAYETTEVILLE STREET.—We have opened within the last week upwards of Ten Thousand Dollars worth of superior Ready-Made Clothing, comprising in part as follows:

100 Cloth Dress Coats,
100 " " Frock Coats,
198 Fancy Cloth Sack Frock Coats,
75 " " Box " "
50 Black " Business " "

*Overcoats.*

75 Black French Beaver Cloth Overcoats,
50 Fancy " " " "
75 Heavy Petershams " "
50 Partridge " "
75 Mountain Beaver " "
84 Pilotting " "
100 Tweed Sack Frock Coats,
75 Satinett " " "
75 Fancy Cassimere Sack Frock Coats,
50 Black " " " "

*Cassimere Pants.*

100 Black Doe-Skin Cassimere Pants,
150 Fancy " " "
75 Satinette " " "
50 Black Cassimere made whole fronts.

*Boys' Clothing.*

We have a very good assortment of Boys' Clothing consisting of Fancy Cloth Sacks, Doe-Skin Cassimere Frocks, Tweed Cassimere Sacks and Frocks, Cloth Round Jackets, Satinett Round Jackets, Silk and Satin Vests, Cassimere and Valencia Vests, Fancy and Black Cassimere Pants.

Also, a large lot of Cassimere Coats, Boys' Cloth Talmers, a very pretty style of Overcoats, &c.

We manufacture all the goods we sell, and can safely warrant our goods to wear well. E. L. HARDING.

Raleigh, Oct. 15, 1853. 96—

FALL STOCK, 1853.—*No.* 15, *Fayetteville St., Raleigh.* T. R. PENTRESS is now receiving his Fall and Winter Stock of Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, and a superior lot of Ready-Made Clothing, to which he invites the attention of his old customers, and the public generally. Having become connected with the far-famed manufacturing establishment of Groshong and Tupman, of Newark, N. J., he is prepared to sell clothing cheaper than it can be bought elsewhere in the State, and being determined to carry into practice the old maxim of "quick sales and small profits," customers may call at No. 15, Fayetteville Street, assured that their wants can and will be supplied. The quality and style of my Ready-Made Clothing are not surpassed in this country.

FOR THE YOUTH.—In order to save both time, trouble and expense to mothers, I have introduced into my establishment a lot of Boy's Ready-Made Clothing, to which the attention of the Ladies is very respectfully called. If encouraged in this much-desired branch of my business, I shall continue to keep on hand a very great variety, for boys from 6 to 15 years of age.

The great advantage I have, from my connection with Groshong & Tupman, will enable me to keep my stock replenished, weekly, with the latest and most approved styles and fashions.

I continue, as usual, the manufacture of garments; and having in my employ first rate workmen, I promise to give satisfaction, both in quality of goods and workmanship.

Gentlemen who furnish their own goods may rely on having their work as well done as if I furnished them.

Cutting done promptly.

To my former patrons, who have stood by me for so long a time, I return my sincere thanks, and humbly trust to merit a continuance of their favors by strict attention to business. T. R. PENTRESS.

Raleigh, October 14th, 1853. 96—3t.

VIRGINIA MANUFACTORY OF CABINET FURNITURE, and Agent for *Nunn's & Clarke's Celebrated Piano Fortes.*—LEWIS SALUSBURY, No. 58 and 60, Main street, Norfolk, Virginia.

It is settled beyond doubt that we are selling lower than any other house at the South.

The subscriber invites the attention of purchasers of Furniture to his stock now in store, and to which daily additions are now being made, consisting of

Rosewood, Mahogany and Black Walnut Bureaus, with and without Glasses, Marble Tops,
Secretaries, Marble Top Washstands,
Centre, Sofa, Side and Work Tables, Painted Furniture,
Toilet Tables, Commodes, Whatnots, Hall Stands,
Stuffed, Easy, Rocking and Parlor Chairs,
Couches, Bedsteads, Sofas, Tete-a-Tetes, Divans,
Ottomans, Window Seats, Crickets, Wardrobes,
Card Tables, Mirrors, as well as all kinds of Cane and Wood work,
Also white and Grey live Geese Feathers, both kiln dried and in the original packages,
Common Feathers, Hair, Palm Leaf and Straw Mattresses,
Hair Cloth Burlaps, Gimp, Sofa and Chair Springs,
Glass Plates, Wooden and Willow ware,
Clocks, Castors, Knobs, &c.

We would also call the attention of the public to Robinson's Patent Bed Sofas, for which we have the Agency. They are the best article of the kind in use, both as regards the work and convenience, being less complicated and making a wider bed by four inches than other kinds, more than all this they are sold for dollars less. The dealers in Furniture will find here as full an assortment, and as low prices as in any establishment in the South or elsewhere.

UNDERTAKING—Every attention paid to this branch of our business—being constantly supplied with Coffins of every description, both Metalic, Mahogany and other kinds. Immediate dispatch given to all orders by mail.

Norfolk, Oct. 15, 1853. 96—6mpd.

HENRY D. TURNER, BOOKSELLER, PUBLISHER and STATIONER, *No. 1 Fayetteville Street,* publisher of the Supreme Court Reports, has now on hand Full Sets containing both Law and Equity, viz.:

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September 6th, 1853. }


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*No. 24, High Street,*
Portsmouth, Va.,

Will give his personal attention to all consignments of Tobacco, Wheat, Cotton, Flour, &c., whether for sale or shipment, and is prepared to make liberal advances when required. Particular attention paid to the Receiving and Forwarding Goods. All orders for Merchandise of any description punctually attended to, and filled on the best terms.

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July 18th, 1853. 71—3m.

**NIEMEYER & WHITE,**
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND GENERAL PRODUCE BROKERS,
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Offer their services to the Shipping, Planting, Trading and Manufacturing Interests.

☞ We will give strict attention to Shipping or Selling Tobacco, Cotton, Flour, Grain, Provisions, Lumber, and Naval Stores; and Forwarding Merchandise with Despatch.
Lime, Plaster, Guano, Cement and Salt, always on hand.
Henry V. Niemeyer, James C. White.
August 8th, 1853. 76—3m.

**WHOLESALE TRADE FOR MARCH 1852.** OUR SPRING STOCK of *Foreign and Domestic Staple and Fancy Dry Goods*, is now complete. The assortment is large and commanding. Country Merchants are invited to call and examine styles and prices, feeling confident that we can offer as great inducements as any Jobbing House, North or South.
STEVENSON & WEDDELL.
Sycamore street, Petersburg, Va.
34—

**$20 REWARD.**—RANAWAY FROM THE Subscriber, in the month of May last, a negro slave named PAUL, aged about 25 years, 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, with a large mouth and fine teeth—weighs about 160 or 165 pounds. The above reward will be paid for his delivery to me at Raleigh.
M. A. BLEDSOE.
Raleigh, August 25, 1853. 81—tf.

**PAINT MILLS.**—A GREAT LABOR SAVING Machine for grinding colors, and one which every painter should have; for sale at the Drug Store of
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**PRESERVE JARS.**—A LARGE SUPPLY of quarts and half gallon Jars, for sale low, by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**GOOSE FEATHERS WANTED**—The subscriber will pay the highest cash price for Feathers.
J. HENRY HARRIS,
Upholsterer and Mattrass Maker.
Raleigh, August 10, 1853. 76.

**SADDLER, FERTH & ROSS' MUSTARD.** A large Case of this Mustard—which is considered the best in the world—by many persons—is just received at
PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.

**GLAZIERS' DIAMONDS AND KNIVES.**—In Store and for sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**LYON'S RAT PILLS,** THE MOST EFFECTUAL remedy ever used for the destruction of Rats, Mice, &c., for sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**PELETIER'S SARSAPARILLA.**—A fresh supply just received and for sale by
P. F. PESCUD.

**CHELTENHAM SALTS.**—A supply in store and for sale by
P. F. PESCUD.

**RIGG'S GENUINE MILITARY SOAP.**—A supply of this celebrated Soap, just received at
PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.
February 22d, 1853. 28—

**5,000 CIGARS,** of superior quality, for sale by
P. F. PESCUD.
Raleigh, February 22d, 1853. 28—

**AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL.**—A FRESH supply of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, just received at
PESCUD'S DRUG STORE.

**CANDLES.**—SPERM, ADAMANTINE, and TALLOW CANDLES, all sizes, just received and for sale by
JAMES McKIMMON.
April, 1853. 42—

**SCOTCH ALE.**—A FEW CASKS SOTCH ALE IN Quarts and Pints, in store and for sale by
JAMES McKIMMON.
April, 1853. 42—

**WEEDING HOES.**—A LARGE LOT WEEDING Hoes, all sizes. Also, Scythe Blades, Grass Blades and Trace Chains, received and for sale by
JAMES McKIMMON.
April, 1853. 42—

**EXTRACTS FOR FLAVORING.**—Rose, Vanilla, Orange, Lemon, Butter Almond, Cinnamon and Pine Apple in store and for sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**TABLE SALT.**—VERY FINE AND WHITE in small bags, in store and for sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**CORN STARCH.**—A FRESH SUPPLY JUST RECEIVED at the Drug Store of
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**DEPILATORY.**—FOR REMOVING SUPERFLUOUS HAIR, for sale by
WILLIAS & HAYWOOD.

**CHLORINE TOOTH WASH** STANDS UNRIVALLED for cleansing the mouth and preserving the teeth and gums. For sale at
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD'S.

**LEGRAND'S BLACKING** IMPARTS the most brilliant polish to boots shoes, harness, &c., rendering the leather soft and pliant, and remarkable for not coming off on the pantaloons. For sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**EXTRACT OF JAMAICA GINGER.**—FOR giving tone and strength to the stomach and bowels, and the prevention of Summer Complaints, this article needs no comments. For Sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**CHOCOLATE AND COCOA** OF SUPERIOR quality in store and for sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**WINDOW AND PICTURE GLASS.**—A large supply from 8–10 to 24–36, just received and for sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**SARATOGA WATER** JUST RECEIVED AND will be kept regularly throughout the season, at the Drug Store of
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**COD LIVER OIL.**—A FRESH SUPPLY of Rushton, Clark & Co.'s just to hand, at the Drug Store of
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD.

**FLOUR.**—SUPERIOR FAMILY FLOUR, OF NEW Wheat, in Store, and for sale by
JAS. McKIMMON.
Raleigh, September 2d, 1853. 85—

**FALL TRADE, 1853.—BOOTS & SHOES.**—THE GREAT RIVALRY, OF WHO SHALL CONTROL THE NORFOLK SHOE MARKET, AT WHOLESALE?—Some years ago the Proprietor of the famous Ladies' Shoe Saloon put in his claim to do a large share of this particular branch of the Shoe business, by importing one of the LARGEST STOCKS OF BOOTS AND SHOES which had ever been sent to Norfolk. Since then, at each successive season, our stock has gradually increased until the present time, and now we do a larger business than any other house in Eastern Virginia.

The Ladies' Saloon was first established about twelve years ago, and the Store has been repeatedly altered and enlarged to make room for Mr. ADDINGTON'S increasing trade, until now the old Store can be no longer enlarged. He has recently built for himself one of the largest Stores for his business in tha United States.

The New Store is four times as large as the old one, so that hereafter we shall be prepared with the goods to do the largest Boot and Shoe Trade done in the State of Virginia.

(A complete description of this splendid new Store will be given about the 15th of July, when it will be opened.)

At the commencement of each season we have on hand from ☞ **$80,000 to $100,000** worth of BOOTS and SHOES, while we constantly receive heavy shipments of goods during its continuance. Our success has indeed been signal, and why? Because we have always conducted our business on equitable principles, mutually benefiting the seller and the buyer.

This success is truly flattering to us, insomuch we intend to make still larger additions to our stock, and therefore invite all Country Merchants and Shoe Dealers to come and deal for the future with us at the new store.

HUNDREDS OF MERCHANTS have already availed themselves of our invitation, who return and buy goods at each season, saying, "they can do better at the LADIES' SALOON *than they can do at the North.*" We guarantee to sell at least 5 per cent. less than others, and to sell goods which will suit the retail trade of Virginia and North-Carolina Merchants better than any they may purchase elsewhere. The Stock consists in part of—

Gentlemen's Fine Boots and Shoes, of every fashionable variety,
Ladies' Gaiter Boots, Jenny Linds, and other celebrated styles,
Men's Calf-skin Brogans, of every variety,
" " Boots, " "
" Kip Brogans, " "
" " Boots, " "
" Coarse, Thick Brogans, for Negroes,
" " Boots, " "
Dutch Women's Brogans, for outdoor Women, Field hands, and for Cooks,
Women's Leather Bootees, for House Servants, &c.
" Shoes of every kind and quality,
Boys' Kip and Coarse Boots and Shoes of all kinds,
Misses' and Children's Shoes of all kinds, over 100 different varieties.

The attention of Country Merchants is invited to this immence Stock of Boots, Shoes and Brogans, at the Ladies' Saloon, where they can buy every article wanted by them at the lowest wholesale prices, thereby saving themselves the trouble and expense of going to the North for their supplies.

TERMS—SIX MONTHS CREDIT.

☞ The Ladies' Saloon is on Main Street, near Walters' City Hotel.

W. H. ADDINGTON.
Norfolk, Va., July 6, 1853. 67—tf.

**INDIA RUBBER SHOES.**—JUST RECEIVED AT THE LADIES' SALOON, Norfolk, Va., 100 cases India Rubber Shoes, which is a part of our Fall orders. This stock of Rubbers is of the very best quality, and will be warranted not to be affected by any temperature of the weather. It consists of Men's India Rubber Boots, short legs, long legs, and some extra long legs, for Wading and Fishing.

Men's India Rubber Shoes, Clogs, Slippers, Sandals, &c.

Women's India Rubber Boots, Bootees, Buskins, Slippers, Sandals, Clogs, and Over Gaiters.

Ladies' fine India Rubber Shoes, Slippers, Sandals, &c., of the most beautiful and delicate make.

A new style of Gossamer Rubbers for Ladies' have been just received also at the Ladies' Saloon. There has never been any thing like them out before, and as we are the Agents for the Manufacturer no other dealer in Norfolk or in the States of Virginia and North Carolina can sell them unless purchased through our House.

The Merchants of Norfolk, Portsmouth, Petersburg and Richmond as well as those country Merchants from Virginia and North Carolina can be supplied at Manufacturers' prices at the Ladies' Saloon, with the goods from this celebrated Factory. They are superior in point of durability, beauty and style to any others that are now made in this country.

The goods are now open for inspection, and orders are respectfully solicited.

The Ladies' Saloon is at No. 37, Main street, Norfolk, Va., Sign of the Large Plate Glass Windows.

W. H. ADDINGTON & CO.,
Norfolk, Va.
September 9th, 1853. 84—

**FRESH DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c.**—WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD, are now receiving large additions to their stock of DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, DYESTUFFS, WINDOW GLASS, PERFUMERY, &c., &c., from the most reliable Houses in the Northern Cities, which have been purchased with an eye single to their purity, and are offered for sale at such prices and on such terms as shall compare favorably with any house in the State.

Physicians, Country Merchants, and Dealers generally, will do well to give us a call before purchasing, feeling assured we shall not fail to please both in point of price and quality.

Orders promptly attended to, and particular attention given to packing and forwarding.

Family Medicines and Prescriptions compounded at all hours of the day and night, by a competent person with neatness and despatch.

We tender our most sincere thanks to the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country for the long and liberal patronage we have received, and trust by untiring zeal and energy to please in the prosecution of our business, to merit its continuance.
Raleigh, April 28, 1851. 94—

**If you want a Cheap Bargain Call at the New FANCY STORE.**

[Between Messrs. Pomeroy and Porter's Sign of Big Boot.]

THE SUBSCRIBERS TAKE GREAT PLEASURE TO inform the public that they have just received a large lot of Goods in their line, which they offer at the lowest prices, such as they hope will ensure them a share of the public patronage.

FANCY GOODS.—Fine French and German Reticules, Ladies Work-boxes, Velvet, Pearl, Silver and embossed Portemonnies, India-rubber round, Tucking and Dressing Combs, French China Coffees, Glass and China Vases, Children Tea Setts, Kid, Wax, China and India-rubber Dolls, Crying Babies, ass't Baskets, Hair, Tooth, Shaving, Cloth, Nail, and Comb Brushes, China Tea Setts, Toilet Setts, ass't Perfumeries, Fancy Soaps, Snuff-boxes, Mirrors, Wostenholms, Pocket Cutlery, Musical Instruments, Umbrellas, Canes, Whips, &c.

GUNS AND PISTOLS.—Guns, ass't from $5 to $40. Brass and Steel Pistols, Allen's Self-cocking Pistols, Maynard's new patent and Colt's Revolvers, Powder-flasks, Shotbags, Game-bags, Leather Gun Covers, &c.

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.—Upmann Londres, Ambroisa, Fortuna, La Union, La Parra, all Havanna's, El Aguila, Ariana—Eo Principie Cigars. Smith's superior and Jenny Lind Chewing Tobacco. Gail's celebrated Smoking Tobacco, and Meerschaum bowls, long and short Pipes, &c.

CONFECTIONARY AND GROCERIES.—A well selected Stock. Toys, &c., a general assortment.

F. MAHLER & CO.
Raleigh, Oct. 3, 1853. 92—

**SEPTEMBER.—FALL, 1853.**—SAMUEL H. MARKS & SON would respectfully inform their customers and the trade generally, that they are now receiving by sundry packets and steamers their usual extensive assortment of CONFECTIONARY, FANCY ARTICLES, FRUITS, CIGARS, &c., selected in person by one of the firm, who has just returned from a Northern tour. They are also daily expecting an arrival of GERMAN, FRENCH and ENGLISH FANCY GOODS, of their own importation, which will make their assortment one of the largest and most complete now offered in this market. North Carolina and Virginia Merchants, may rely upon getting every article of the very best quality, and upon the most pleasing terms.
Petersburg, Sept. 12, 1853. 86—

**S. H. YOUNG HAS IN STORE NEARLY** HIS entire stock of Fall and Winter Goods.

At No. 21., may be found, among other goods, the following:

Plain and figured black Silks.
Ladies dress Goods of almost every description,
A good assortment of Embroidered Sleeves,
Collars, hand'k'f's, &c.,
Bonnet and Neck Ribbons,
Goods for Men and Boys wear,
Prints of almost every variety,
Glass and Earthern ware,
Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps,
Sugar, Coffee, and Tea,
Levcrings' Syrup—something nice,

With numerous other goods too tedious to mention. Call at No. 21, as we shall take pleasure in showing our Stock at all times and will sell cheap.
September 23, 1853. 89—t1stJ.

**IMPORTANT TO BUILDERS AND HOUSE-CARPENTERS.**—The patent right of Short's window sash, so universally introduced in the Northern Cities, is for sale by the subscriber.

This sash has numerous advantages, it combines greater strength with neater appearance, as putty is entirely dispensed with. Stripes of India rubber laid on the sash prevent all noise and jingling, at the same time making the window water-tight.

The window with this improvement may be easily taken to pieces, cleaned thoroughly or repaired.

For particulars address,
L. C. TURNER, *Architect.*
Wilmington, N. C.
Wilmington, Oct. 1, 1853. 92—9tpd.

**CHARLES KUESTER,** GUN, LOCK-SMITH, and BELL-HANGER—Would respectfully inform the Citizens of Raleigh and surrounding country that he has located permanently in Raleigh, and has opened a Shop on Wilmington Street, (in Dr. Cooke's brick-building,) where he will be found at all times, ready to execute any "Job" in his line, in a style that shall not be surpassed by any other person, and the charges shall always be moderate. *Call and See.*
Raleigh, Feb. 21, 1853. 950—

**GREAT INDUCEMENTS!**

**DISPATCH! RESPONSIBILITY!! AND CERTAINTY!!!** are all combined in the Expresses of Adams & Co.

Patronize them and be sure of getting your goods from New York *24 hours ahead of any other means.*

Economy and dispatch will be served by using Adams & Co's. Daily Express. ADAMS & CO.
S. B. PHILLIPS, Agent.
September 16, 1853. 87—10t.

**SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS, 1853.**—THE SUBSCRIBER takes great pleasure in announcing to his friends, and the public generally, that recent arrivals have placed him in possession of a large and varied assortment of FOREIGN and DOMESTIC STAPLE and FANCY DRY GOODS; also HARDWARE, CUTLERY, QUEENSWARE, GLASS-WARE, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS, SHOES, and GROCERIES, which he offers for sale on reasonable terms. Having been carefully selected, and purchased by himself on the most favorable terms, he is persuaded he cannot be undersold by *fair* competition. He respectfully solicits a call from purchasers.

The following consists of a portion only of his stock:—

For Gentlemen,
Cloth, Cassimeres, and Vestings of nearly all shades and prices—a complete assortment of Summer Goods for Boys.

For the Ladies,
Black Gro de Rhine Silks,
" " " Nap,
" " " Soi,
Brocade, and other Fancy Silks,
Fancy, and Plain Silk Tissues,
" " " Barages,
" " " Shallys,
Plain Black Shallys, and other mourning Goods,
Fancy Barege De Laines,
" Organdi Muslins,
" French Lawns, and Jaconettes,
" Solid Color Lawns, and Jaconettes,
" Brilliantes,
" French and English Ginghams,
" French, English & Domestic Prints in great variety,
Jaconette, Cambric, Nansook, Book and Mull Muslins,
Bishop Lawn, Dotted and Plain Swiss Muslins,
French Work Capes, Chemizettes and Collars,
French Work Lace, and Muslin Undersleeves,
Linen Cambric Hkfs, a complete assortment,
Black Lace Mantillas,
Black Lace Shawls and Scarfs,
Black Lace Veils,
Black crape and Mourning Veils,
Mourning Collars and Undersleeves,
Alexander's Fancy Black and White Kid Gloves,
" " " " " Silk "
A large assortment of Parasols and Umbrellas.

JAMES McKIMMON.
Raleigh, March 25, 1853 38—

**PARISEN & KING'S Steamship EXPRESS,** PER ROANOKE and JAMESTOWN—*Reduced Rates, Increased Expidition, &c.*—The proprietors having made new arrangements for the still better dispatch of their Express by the Steamships "ROANOKE" and "JAMESTOWN" from New York, they wish to keep it before the public, that PARISEN & KING'S POPULAR SOUTHERN EXPRESS is always on hand for the accommodation of their friends, *at the lowest rates and unparalleled dispatch*—their Express leaving New York, is generally delivered at almost every point of Virginia in 48 hours, and throughout North Carolina in 56 hours, and at forty per cent. below the old *humbug monopoly.*

PARISEN & KING'S facilities for the expeditious transportation of Freight and Packages, cannot be beat by any Express Company in existence, and they defy any competition, therefore, in the shape of *humbug, imposition and monopoly!*

☞ Be sure to order your goods by Parisen & King's Express, 2nd Barclay Street, New York.

☞ Rest assured, that all they promise, they will faithfully fulfil!!

PARISEN & KING, 2d Barclay st. N. Y.,
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☞ Notice.—Express packages for Norfolk, Petersburg, Richmond and the interior, intended for shipment per steamers "Roanoke" or "Jamestown," will hereafter be received by Messrs. Parisen & King, 2nd Barclay street, New York, who are the only authorized Agents to forward our Express packages by those steamships to Virginia, N. Carolina and Tennessee.
June 13, 1853. 66—tf.

☞ The STANDARD OFFICE is being thoroughly re-fitted with an extensive assortment of New and Beautiful TYPE, of every description, and suited to all qualities and kinds of work—New PRESSES, and every other appliance requisite in the execution of the best quality of work at the greatest speed.
Raleigh, *July* 30, 1853.

**GUNN'S DOMESTIC MEDICINE,** OR POOR MAN'S FRIEND; *in the hours of affliction, pain and sickness, a safe and reliable guide.*—This book points out, in plain language, free from doctors' terms, the Diseases of Men, Women and Children, and the latest and most improved means used in their cure, and is intended expressly for the benefit of families. It also contains descriptions of the Medical Roots and Herbs of the United States, and how they are to be used in the cure of diseases. It is arranged on a new and simple plan, by which the practice of Medicine is reduced to principles of common sense.

This invaluable book has passed through many editions: it has now been revised and improved in every respect, and enlarged to nearly double its former size; and contains nine hundred octavo pages.

It does not propose to dispense with physicians in severe cases; but it does propose to save thousands and tens of thousands annually, by putting the means of cure into every man's hands, and of saving many valuable lives (which is of far more importance) by instructing individuals how to check disease in its beginnings, before it has acquired too much strength to resist and overcome.

For sale at the North Carolina Book-Store, by
HENRY D. TURNER.
Raleigh, Aug. 12, 1853. 77—tf.

**JUST RECEIVED, AND FOR SALE,**—A RICH ASSORTMENT of Fancy Neck, Sash, Hat and Cap Ribbons,
Plain Satin and Lutestring Ribbons, all colors and widths,
French Worked Muslin Undersleeves,
Infants' French Worked Frock Bodies and Caps,
Ladies' French Worked Caps and Collars, a great variety,
" " Mourning and Half-Mourning Collars.
" " Cuffs, Muslins and Dimity Bands,
Real Thread Lace, Insertings and Edgings,
Imitation " " "
Lisle " " "
Bobbin " " "

JAMES McKIMMON.
Raleigh, 1853. 93—

**GREAT EXCITEMENT!**—IF YOU WANT TO SAVE A COUPLE HUNDRED DOLLARS, send on your orders for *Turpentine Stills, Caps, Arms and Worms:* also, Brandy Stills, and any kind of Copper work, Brass, Machinery, &c.

The prices of Still-caps, Arms and Worms, are as follows:—(by the pound, 37 cents, or by contract)—

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| 7 barrel Still-cap, | Arms and | Worms, | ..... | $400 |
| 10 | " | " | " | 485 |
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All work will be warranted for 12 months, (fire and burning excepted.) His work will also be delivered within fifty miles of Raleigh, at the shortest notice; and if I fail to deliver Stills in the time agreed upon, I will forfeit $5 for each day lost to the purchaser.

JOSEPH WOLTERING.
Raleigh, Sept. 12, 1851. 90—y.

**XONITON** Chemesettes and Undersleeves,
Do. Collars,
Brusselle do.
Maltise do.
Crape do. Black and White,
Black Silk Mantillas,
" Lace Veils,
Ladies French Skirts,
" Col'd and White Kid Gloves,
Gent's " " " " &c., &c.
Received this day, by
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER.
July 21, 1853. 71—

**MRS. WOLTERING** RESPECTFULLY announces to the Ladies of Raleigh and surrounding country that she is now receiving her *Fall* and *Winter Stock* of *Fancy Goods*, embracing China goods, fine iron-stone dinner-setts, tea-setts, and cups and saucers as fine as ever brought to this City.

Also, *Groceries* of every description. *Musical Instruments, &c.*, which will be sold low for cash.

Just received, a fresh supply of *Confectionaries.*

Thankful for past favors, she solicits a continuance of the same. WILHELMINA WOLTERING.
Raleigh, September, 1851. 90—

**DRESS GOODS.**—PRINTED & FANCY BERAGES, Lawns, Organdi and Printed Cambrics,
Plaid Ginghams and Silk Lustors,
Black Gros DeRhine Silk and Plain black DeLaine,
Cambric, Jaconette, Swiss, Checked, Mull and Nansuck Muslins, a great variety.
Black and White and Fancy Berages DeLaines.

J. BROWN.
Raleigh, 1852. 34—

**WHITE GOODS.**—JACKONETTS, ENGLISH Cambric, Nainsook, checked and striped Muslin, Mull Muslin, Plain and dotted Swiss Muslin. For sale by
J. BROWN.
Raleigh, June 4th, 1853. 58—

**ISAAC PROCTER,** (Successor to OLIVER & PROCTER,) *Merchant Tailor,* Has just returned from the northern cities, and is now receiving A NEW AND BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF GOODS in his line, embracing Black, Blue, Brown, Green, Olive, Adelaide and Dahlia CLOTHS, of best French and English Manufacture, and of various grades of prices. Best SIMONI DOESKINS, warranted. French, English, Scotch and American FANCY CASSIMERES, of every variety of style and price. VESTINGS, of superior Silk Velvet, Plush, Figured and Plain Satins and Silks, Grenadine, Merino and Cashmere, a splendid article. *Wedding and Party Vestings*—can't be beat.

With sincere thanks to his numerous friends and patrons for past manifestations of friendship and regard, he assures them no effort or pains shall be spared to merit its continuance. Satisfaction always guarantied.

His Stock of FURNISHING GOODS is most complete—
Dress Shirts, with or without Collars,
Silk and Merino Under-Shirts, very superior, all sizes,
Drawers, fine assortment, all sizes,
Socks, Silk, Merino, Cotton, Figured and Plain,
Stocks, Plain and Fancy,
Gloves, a great variety,
Dressing Gowns, very handsome,
Pocket Handkerchiefs, silk, linen, colored, plain and embroidered.

In addition to the above, he has a fine supply of
READY-MADE CLOTHING,
which he would be pleased to offer to the inspection of the public. Being manufactured under his own supervision, he can confidently recommend them; and he asks a comparison with any other goods in this market or out of it, either in quality or price. All he asks is a reasonable profit, and will not be *undersold* by any!

Gentlemen furnishing their own goods to be manufactured, may rely upon receiving the same attention and care as if sold by himself.

Cutting done at any time at usual rates.

Latest Paris, London, and New-York Fashions just at hand.

ISAAC PROCTER.
Raleigh, 1853. —

**NORTH-CAROLINA & NORFOLK.**—THE PRACTICAL HATTERS would respectfully call the attention of the "Trade" and "Dealers" to their stock of SPRING AND SUMMER HATS,
the largest and best that has ever been offered in Norfolk, and not surpassed by any, and at prices that cannot fail to give satisfaction. They are confident that Merchants will find it to their advantage to call before making their purchases. Those that are willing to extend to us their patronage may rely on having Goods, whether of our own Manufacture or Imported, as Fashionable, Fine and Cheap as any Northern Jobber. We earnestly request Merchants to call and be *convinced* that we are prepared and *will* furnish every thing in our line on the best terms.

Ladies' and Misses' Bonnets in great variety. Canes and Umbrellas wholesale.

CEPHALOMETRON!

This beautiful instrument is considered one of the greatest and most useful inventions of the age. It would be impossible, by the minutest description, to give a correct idea of its utility. Hats made by it will fit the most difficult heads, conforming to every protuberance and depression of the cranium, thus preventing the unpleasant feeling of a new Hat and painful headache. We could give you certificates of Physicians and the experience of the Trade, but prefer that all may examine for themselves. No one can properly appreciate its advantages without having one of our superior Hats.

☞ Hats made to order in the most fashionable manner, and without extra charge.

STEVENS & BUTT,
No. 7 Market Square,
Norfolk, Va.
May 11, 1853. 51—tf.

**Hard Ware Importation, 1853.**

**MUIR & BRYAN,** IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE dealers in Foreign and American HARDWARE, CUTLERY, GUNS, &c., *Sycamore Street,* Petersburg, Va. Are now receiving their Fall Stock of Foreign and American Hardware, which they present to the consideration of buyers generally, believing that they can offer inducements equal to any other establishment in the country. A large portion of their goods have been imported direct from England, and the American carefully selected from the best sources, consisting in part of the following goods, viz:

Table and Pocket Knives, Saws, Planes, Files, Axes, Hatchets, Hammers, Drawing Knives, Bruce and Bits, Augers, Butts, Fast and Loose Joints, Chisels, Gouges, Squares, Gunges, Scissors, Shears, Razors, Razor Strops and Hones, Candlesticks, Snuffers, Looking Glasses, Garden Shears, Halter, Ox, Log, Trace and Fifth Chains, Frying Pans, Hand and Bench Vises, Trowels, Knob, Stock, Trunk and Chest Locks, Guns, Percussion Caps, Shovels and Tongs, Andirons, Fenders, Grates, Rat Traps, Pincers, Plyers, Knitting Pins, Marbles, Cork Screws, Jews Harps, Awl Blades, Screw Plates, Stocks and Dies, Bellows, Anvils, Vises, Hand and Sledge Hammers, Horse Shoes and Nails, Fish Hooks, Needles, Pins, Compasses, Slates, Skates, Shoe and Butcher Knives, Straw Cutters, Sifters, Sieves, Spades, Shovels, Mill, Whip, and Cross Cut Saws, Hilling and Weeding Hoes; also, a large assortment of Nails, Castings, Steel, &c., all of which are offered for sale on the most reasonable terms. Merchants visiting this city ore respectfully invited to call and examine their stock. MUIR & BRYAN.
Petersburg, August 29, 1853. 987—2m.

**PETERSBURG CLOTHING BAZAAR.**—The subscribers having purchased the entire interest of N. Perry in the above celebrated establishment, respectfully announce to the citizens of North-Carolina that they intend to relax no effort to retain the liberal patronage heretofore received from the numerous customers of the Bazaar in the Old North State.

Manufacturing as we do all our own CLOTHING, and one of the firm being constantly in the market, thus having facilities for purchasing our Cloths, Cassimeres, &c., at first hands, and consequently at the lowest rates, we are enabled to compete in prices with Northern houses, while our garments in point of style and workmanship, are not excelled by those of any other house in the State.

It is unnecessary to enumerate the articles of which our stock is composed; suffice it to say that in our rooms may be found every thing pertaining to men's wear, and furnishing goods of the most recent style and in great variety.

Our Custom Department is constantly supplied with the most desirable goods, and those preferring their garments made to order, can here find a large assortment to select from, and with an efficient force of workmen we can get up a single garment or an entire suit at very short notice. A good fit and perfect satisfaction guarantied in every instance.

Our Wholesale Rooms. Merchants visiting the City should not fail to look through our stock, as we have opened an exclusive Wholesale Room, and manufacture largely, expressly for this branch of our trade.

A. S. SHAFER & CO.,
(*Successors to N. Perry.*)
Petersburg, Va., May 5th, 1852. 52—

**NEW ARRIVAL at the VARIETY STORE.** The undersigned respectfully informs the citizens of Raleigh, and of the surrounding country, that he continues at his old stand, and has just returned from the North, where he selected a good assortment of articles usually kept in a Family Grocery and Confectionary.

GROCERIES—Java, Laguira and Rio Coffees; Clarified, Pulverized, Crushed and Brown Sugars; Wax, Sperm, Adamantine and Tallow Candles; Molasses and Sugar House Syrup; Apple Vinegar, Tomato and Walnut Catsups, Fish, Rice, Lard, Salt, Starch, Blacking, Table Salt, Mustard, Nutmeg, Ginger, Mace, Cloves, Cinnamon, Spice, Sal. Soda, &c.

MISCELLANEOUS—Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Walking Canes, Umbrellas, Wool and Cotton Cards, Nails, a full assortment of Tin Ware, Horse Combs and Brushes, Plough Lines, Bed Cords, Coffee Mills, Spades, Shovels, Water Vessels, Horse Buckets, Brooms, Baskets, &c.

CONFECTIONARY, &c.—Soda Crackers, Raisins, Figs, Prunes, Currants, Citron, Sardines, Pickles, Chocolate, Preserved Ginger, Pears, Damsons, Pine Apples, Peaches, Quinces and Limes; Olives, Almonds, Filberts, Palm Nuts, Pecan, (by the bag or lb.,) Tobacco, Snuff, Soaps, Cologne, Looking Glasses and Fire-works, together with many other articles too numerous to mention.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS—Accordeons, Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Tamborines, Fifes, Flutes, &c.

HENRY KEIM.
August 29th, 1853. 88—tf.

**COAL.**—300 tons Furnace, Parlor, and Smiths' Coal. Supplies constantly arriving.

HERRINGS.—60 whole bbls. and 60 half do., No. 1, Cut and Family Roe Herrings.

BACON.—Hams, Sides, and Shoulders. Choice Va. cured Bacon, hhds., Sides and Shoulders.

LIME.—1100 Casks Eastern and W. C. Lime.

CEMENT.—125 Casks fresh Cement.

PLASTER.—Calcined and land Plaster.

SALT.—Sacks, fine and ground, T. Island coarse Salt.

SUGAR.—All the varieties.

PORK, Molasses, Coffee, Cotton Bagging and Rope.

For sale by
NIEMEYER & WHITE,
Portsmouth, Va.
August 8, 1853. 76—1m.

**REMOVAL OF THE BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY.**—The subscriber begs leave to inform his patrons, and the public in general, that he has moved from Wilmington Street, to the house lately occupied by F. Mahler as a fancy store, West side of the capitol.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore received, he solicits a continuance of the same, promising to use the very best materials and employ only superior workmen.

HENRY A. DEPKIN.
Raleigh, August 29th, 1853. 82—tf.

**FORM BOOK.**—THE NORTH CAROLINA FORM Book; containing all the most useful forms which occur in business transactions between man and man, as well as in official stations; together with the Constitution of North Carolina and of the United States; the Act fixing the Fees of Clerks, Sheriffs, &c., calculated for the use of the citizens of North Carolina, and made conformable to law. Compiled by a member of the North Carolina Bar.

For sale at the North Carolina Book-Store, by
HENRY D. TURNER.
Raleigh, Aug. 12, 1853. 77—

**SWAIM'S JUSTICE.**—THE NORTH CAROLINA Justice; containing a summary statement of the Statues and Common Law of this State, together with the Decisions of the Supreme Court, and all the most approved forms and precedents relating to the office and duty of a Justice of the Peace, and other public officers, according to modern practice, by Benjamin Swaim. Second edition, revised and corrected. For sale by
HENRY D. TURNER.
*North-Carolina Book-Store.*
Raleigh, August 12, 1853. 77—

**NEGROES WANTED.**—THE SUBSCRIBER will pay the highest cash prices for number one young Negroes.
R. D. ATKINSON.
Smithfield, Dec. 29th, 13—tf.


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| FRANKLIN PIERCE, President, ..... | $25,000 |
| William L. Marcy, of New-York, Secretary of State, | 8,000 |
| James Guthrie, of Kentucky,